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PENNSYLVANIA GAZETTE.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 1782.

GENERAL STATE of the Accounts of the CONTRIBUTORS *to the Relief and Employment of the* POOR, *in the City of* Philadelphia *(particularly for Cash, received and expended for Support of the Poor, in the House of Employment) from the 25th of* March, 1779, *to the 8th of* May, 1780.

TO Cash paid for Sundries for Support of the Poor, viz. Provisions,	£	19430	18 3
Fire-wood,		12585	17 6
Incidental Charges,		1212	3 9
Funeral Expences,		660	5
A Weaver's Wages, and sundry small Repairs,		163	7 6
	£	34052	17 0

By Cash received, viz. Ballance that remained in the Steward's Hands, 25th March, 1779,		261	2 6
Of the City Overseers, being for the Poor Tax and Rent of the Alms-House,		28367	10 0
Borrowed by the Managers,		1762	10 0
For a Pay Patient,		600	0 0
From a Pauper, who died in the House,		15	0 0
For Sundries sold,		40	0 0
	£	31046	2 6
Ballance advanced by J. Cummings (the Steward)		3006	14 6
	£	34052	17 0

We, James Wharton and John Mease, appointed by the Managers of the Contributions for the Relief and Employment of the Poor in the City of Philadelphia, to examine the Steward's Books, Accounts and Vouchers, and to prepare a general State of the Accounts of this Corporation, *do report*, That, having gone fully and regularly through such Examination, we find his Accounts full, clear and just, and that as it appears by the above general State, &c. (taken from them) he is £3006 14 6, now in Advance, for Necessaries purchased for the Poor, and that he hath not received any Thing for or in Consideration of his Salary during the Space of the above Account.

That on an Average there has been 91 Persons (in almost every Stage of helpless Distress) supported and relieved in the House, for the Time above mentioned, particularly for the late severe and heavily expensive Winter, when Provisions and every Necessary has been so extravagantly high, and therefore run up our Expences to a most amazing Appearance, besides which we are now heavily in Debt for many Kinds of Provisions and Necessaries long since expended and consumed, to the Amount of many Thousand Pounds.

JAMES WHARTON,
JOHN MEASE.

Philadelphia, May 8, 1780.

GENERAL STATE of the Accounts of the CONTRIBUTORS, *&c. from* May 8, 1780, *to* May 14, 1781, *in Continental Currency.*

May, 1781. TO Ballance of last Year's Accounts, advanced by the Steward,	3606	14	6
Money borrowed last Year, now paid,	3496	17	6
Provisions,	139127	0	9
Fire-wood consumed in the House,	28658	8	9
Ditto distributed to sundry poor Families,	8281	16	3
Cash paid sundry Out-Pensioners,	27949	3	9
A Weaver's Wages, and other Cloathing,	1511	12	6
Doctors Bills,	4811	7	6
Funeral Charges,	1815	12	6
On account of Steward and Matrons Wages, say £50 Specie, Exchange at 75 for 1,	3750	0	0
Sundry small Repairs and incidental Charges, with Post and Rails for inclosing a Lot,	6131	0	0
To Ballance remaining in the Hands of the Treasurer, as per Settlement of his Accounts this Day,	60517	4	9½
	£ 289056	18	9½

1781. By Cash received, The Contribution of William Adcock, Esq;		10	0 0
TAXES, viz.			
Of the City Overseers, £ 245049 11 5			
Northern-Liberty Ditto, 16226 1 3			
Southwark Ditto 5573 13 3			
Passyunk Ditto, 6762 17 6			
Moyamensing Ditto, 2571 0 0			
	276183	3	5
By Cash of William Fisher, late Treasurer,	152	13	4½
Rents of old Alms-House Lots,	11352	10	0
Fines---Rec. of Jacob Bright, Flour Inspector,	634	5	6
Of William Young, for a Chimney being on Fire,	30	0	0
Sundry small Donations and Fines received from the Magistrates,	323	0	0
Ballance due the Steward,	271	16	6
	£ 289056	18	9½

We, James Wharton and Daniel Robinson, the Committee appointed by the Managers of the Contributions to the Relief and Employment of the Poor, in the City of Philadelphia, to examine the Accounts of the Treasurer and of the Steward, and to prepare a general State of the Accounts of the Corporation for the Year past, do report, That after carefully examining and comparing their several Accounts and Vouchers, we find them just, and the foregoing general State, extracted or compiled from their several Accounts and Vouchers, shewing the whole Year's Disbursements, and that there remains a Ballance of Sixty Thousand Five Hundred and Seventeen Pounds Four Shillings and Nine-pence Half-penny, Continental Currency, in the Hands of Chistopher Marshall, jun. Treasurer, that the Steward of the House of Employment is in advance for Provisions, &c. purchased for the Poor, Two Hundred and Seventy-one Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Six-pence, like Currency; yet we have to remark, that altho' there now is so large a nominal Sum in the Hands of the Treasurer, yet it is but lately paid in, and the Depreciation is now so very rapid, that it will go but a little Way in Support of 110 poor, helpless Objects (which has been the average Number supported in the House for the Year past;) had the Poors Funds been sooner collected and paid, their Support might have been less expensive, though more comfortable.

JAMES WHARTON,
DANIEL ROBINSON.

Philadelphia, May 12, 1781.

ANNUAL STATE of the Accounts of the CONTRIBUTORS, *&c. from* May 12, 1781, *to* May 11, 1782.

The following Accounts were paid in State Money:

May, 1781. TO Ballance of the Steward's last Year's Account,	4	19	0
July 13. Cash paid Out Pensioners,	334	1	0
Amount of Provisions,	517	13	5
To £274 10 0 of this Money sold at different times 3 for 1, carried to the Credit of the Specie Account, £91 10 0 Specie,	274	10	0
Fire-wood,	49	14	0
May 9, 1782. Ballance remaining in the Hands of the Treasurer, in State Money,	176	2	8
Incidental Charges and for Repairs, &c.	32	18	6
	£ 1389	18	7

1781. By Ballance in the Treasurer's Hands at Settlement of last Year's Accounts, £60517 4 9½ reduced,	£	693	12 1
Received from the 17th May to the 1st June, the following Taxes, viz.			
Of the City Overseers, 68085 1-3 and in State,		70	10 6
Northern Liberties, 36351 2-3			
Southwark, 27033 2-3			
Passyunk, 5152 5-6			
Moyamensing, 4836 2-3			
142085 1-3 makes		592	17 1
By Cash for Fines of Jacob Bright, Flour Inspector, and sundry Parcels of Flour, forfeited for Use of the Poor,		17	5 0
		1374	4 8
Ballance advanced by the Steward,		15	13 11
	£	1389	18 7

The following Accounts are in Specie:

To Cash paid the Steward, Ballance of State Money which he advanced as per the above Account, at the current Exchange,			£	3	4 9
For Provisions,				1086	8 1½
For the Relief of sundry Out Pensioners and indigent Families, viz.					
Pensions advanced them in Cash (Specie)	£	528 12 6			
Doctors Attendance on such as were sick		6 1 9			
Coffins, &c. for burying the dead,		3 19 9			
Fire-wood distributed among such distressed Families, as were duly recommended, &c.		144 7 5			
				683	1 5
For Fire-wood consumed in the House,				377	5 8
To the Steward on Account of Wages,				100	0 0
Sundry incidental Charges; a Horse, Repairs, &c.				148	8 3
Bedding and Cloathing purchased for the Poor,				75	11 1
Doctors Bills paid,				66	6 6
Coffins, &c.				10	2 6
				2550	8 3½
Ballance in the Hands of the Treasurer,				19	6 3
			£	2569	14 6½

May 9, 1782. By Cash for £274 10 0, State Money, sold at different Times, at three for one, brought from the State Money Account,	£	91	10 0
By Cash in Specie for Taxes, viz.			
Of the City Overseers, £ 1668 15 6			
Northern Liberties, Feb. 22, 1782. 200 0 0			
Passyunk, 80 7 6			
Moyamensing, 46 5 10			
		1995	8 10
Southwark,		0	0 0
By Cash, of William Forbes, for a Donation,		15	0 0
Do. of Jacob Bright, Flour Inspector, for Fines, and also sundry Parcels of forfeited Flour for Use of the Poor,		146	1 8
On Account of Ground-Rents,		89	19 6½
By Bye-Patients,		21	10 0
By 5 Months Rent of the Eastern Wing, at 100 Dollars per Month,		187	10 0
		2547	0 0½
May 11. Advanced by the Steward, as per Settlement of his Account, this Day,		22	14 6
	£	2569	14 6½

We the Committee appointed to examine the Accounts of the Treasurer and Steward for the Year past, and to prepare the annual State of the Accounts of the Contributors to the Relief and Employment of the Poor, in the City of Philadelphia, *do report*, That having duly examined the same, and compared them with their several Receipts and Vouchers, do find them correct and just, and that, as appears by the foregoing State of the annual Accounts, there remains a Ballance of £176 2 8, State Money, and £19 6 3, Specie, in the Hands of Chrisopher Marshall, jun. Treasurer, and that the Steward is £22 14 6 Specie, in advance for Provisions, &c. Your Committee have farther to observe, that although the last and present Year's Poor Taxes have been considerably burthensome to the Community, yet, from the Time and Manner of their having been paid in, particularly by the District and Townships connected in this Corporation, the Managers have not been enabled to discharge the Debts of the Corporation, or to lay in Wood, Provisions, &c. on the most advantageous Terms; for it appears by the foregoing State Money Account, that almost the Whole was received from the 17th of May to the 1st of June, 1781, in Continental Currency, after it was depreciated to its lowest estimated Value, and then exchanged for State Money to a very great Loss.------The annexed Specie Account speaks for itself, and although Southwark hath not paid to our Treasurer any Part of the Poor Taxes levied since the 25th of March, 1781, yet they have sent into the House a full Proportion of burthensome Poor in every Stage of helpless Distress. As to the other Divisions connected in this Corporation, the above Accounts shew their respective Payments for the Year past. The average Number of poor Persons supported in the House for this Year has been at least 118, and under every Disadvantage, but by the Assistance obtained from the laudable Vigilance of the Flour Inspector, they have been well supplied with Provisions, Fire-wood, Bedding and Cloathing, for about £15 each per Annum, which, considering the advanced Price of those Necessaries, is, we apprehend, full as low as can be expected, consistent with the benevolent Purposes of a charitable Institution. With almost an empty Treasury, we are sorry to report, the Institution remains considerably incumbered for want of a fuller Support, by more punctual Compliance with the Poor Law.

JOHN WOOD,
GEORGE EMLEN.

Philad. House of Employment, May 11, 1782.

THE Subscribers to the PENNSYLVANIA GAZETTE, whose papers are conveyed by the LANCASTER POST, to Lancaster, Paxton, Carlisle, Londonderry, &c. &c. are requested to take notice, that their first Subscription is expired, and unless punctual payment be made, the Post will not have it in his power to perform his stage with that regularity and credit to himself which he could wish; he therefore requests the Gentlemen to send their Subscriptions for the second Six Months, which will oblige their humble servant,

FREDERICK DOERSH.

N. B. The Gentlemen will please likewise to send their Subscription Money for the Printers at the same time.

Philadelphia, October 21, 1782.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER, Living on the Dock, near the DRAWBRIDGE,

A QUANTITY of

Best BEN SOALS, and DRAW LEGS.

He also takes this method to inform his former CUSTOMERS, and the PUBLIC in general, that he

Has again began BUSINESS for himself,

TANNING, BOOT and SHOE-MAKING, wholesale and retail.

He also takes in

HIDES to Tann on the SHARES.

Gentlemen that please to favour him with their custom may depend upon being served punctually, and to their satisfaction,

By the Public's very humble servant,
ALEXANDER RUTHERFORD.

N. B. Merchants in town and country, Captains of vessels, and others, that take any quantity of Boots or Shoes, shall have reasonable allowance.

A LARGE MAHOGANY CHEST,

was left by BENJAMIN DEAN, some time before he went to sea in December 1780, supposed with some of his acquaintance; any person that can give information of it to the Printers hereof, will be thankfully rewarded.

ALEXANDER TOD,

Has removed his STORE from Walnut-street to Front-street, between Chesnut and Market-streets, where he has for Sale,

BEST 9 qr. Blankets, Broad-cloths and Duffils, Pontuay and Laval Linens, Flanders and brown and white Russia Sheeting, Callicoes and Chintzes, copper Tea-kettles, Coffee-pots, &c. &c. Also Sugar in Boxes, Sweedish Steel and Pig-lead.

TO BE SOLD,

THAT beautiful and well situated INN and PLANTATION, known by the name of Doe Run, situate in West Marlborough, Chester county, containing 310 acres of land, 60 of which is watered meadow, equal to any in the county, a proportion of wood-land sufficient to support the farm. The buildings are good, sufficient to entertain the public with ease, and a private family with pleasure. Any gentleman inclining to view the premises may be informed of further particulars, by applying to the subscriber living thereon, JAMES HANNUM.

November 7, 1782. † 4 w.

To be SOLD at Public SALE,

On the 3d day of DECEMBER next, pursuant to the last Will and Testament of SAMUEL STARR, deceased,

A PLANTATION or Tract of LAND, situate in Pikeland township, Chester county, containing about 100 acres, 30 thereof woodland, some meadow made, and about 6 acres more may be made; bounded by lands of Hugh Roberts and the Powder-Mill tract; the land is good for grain or pasture, and well watered by several springs, and French creek running through the premises, with a small tenement thereon. Any person willing to view the premises before the day of sale may be shewn the same, by applying to Joseph Starr, senior, near the premises; the sale to begin at 2 o'clock, where attendance and reasonable credit will be given, by

¶ BENJAMIN LONGSTRETH and CHARLES DILWORTH, } Executors.

Nov. 5.

NOTE. On the same day will be SOLD, a Crop of WHEAT and RYE now growing on the said premises.

BACHE *and* SHEE,

HAVE FOR SALE,

Castile Soap, Pig Lead, Cordage, and WINDOW GLASS of different Sizes.

For the PENNSYLVANIA GAZETTE.

Qui capit, ille facit.

To H——— O———.

IN what manner to addreſs you I know not, being deſtitute of every virtue that would entitle you to reſpect. The gentleman, the man of honor and probity, muſt cenſure me, was I to claſs you in their line; and it is treſpaſſing on a reſpectable public to trouble them with ſo contemptible an object. However, I muſt treſpaſs on their patience, urged by the duty which I owe them; for the infamous hireling ſhould ever be expoſed, that his impoſitions, and that of his coadjutors and maſters, ſhould ever after be reprobated.

In the Freeman's Journal, of the 6th inſt. you have publiſhed theſe words:

"How much was one of the city members to receive out of "the monies demanded by his brother, a tavern-keeper in the "State of Delaware, from a former Preſident of this State, if "they had not been detected in their villainy?

"How much of the 500l. due from the ſame members to "Anthony Yeldall, an attainted traitor, is paid into the Trea-"ſury as forfeited?"

Why theſe Queries? Why the bare aſſertion of being detected in their villainy? Ought you not to have ſaid more? You ſhould have informed the public what the villainy was; you ſhould have named the late Preſident, to whom reference may be had, and given the tranſaction at full length; had you been actuated by public virtue, or if you are poſſeſſed of any ſuch paſſion, the Aſſembly is now ſitting, and the courts of juſtice are always open. Apply therefore to them, and, if what you ſo roundly aſſert is true, you will be entitled to, and no doubt receive the thanks of the public. The citizens of Philadelphia in particular, and of the State at large, will be your debtors; for no ſuch perſon ſhould repreſent or legiſlate for a free and virtuous people, nor ſhould any member heſitate to expel ſuch a character. But I am warranted to ſay, in no one inſtance can you ſupport the charge. The affair with the late Preſident ſhall ſoon be laid before the public in a proper manner, when the city member will be found to be neither intereſted or acquainted with it; and the tranſaction with the attainted traitor is equally falſe, none of the city members coming under that deſcription. On enquiry, I find one of them, in partnerſhip with a reſpectable gentleman of the city of Philadelphia, had conſiderable dealings with Doctor Yeldall, the account between whom is yet unſettled, but I am well informed the ballance is trifling, and of all this the Supreme Executive Council has been long informed. And now, Mr. Calumniator, a few more words addreſſed to you, for Calumniator I am certain you will be made fully to appear; for I truſt the Houſe of Aſſembly will take the charge up for enquiry, or the citizens of Philadelphia inſiſt on their doing it. What motive could induce you, or what perſons compelled you, to ſo baſe an action. To the man you intended the injury I find you are an entire ſtranger, ſo that no tranſaction or connection of a private nature can you plead. Either public good, or the deteſtable principles of faction, muſt therefore be your inducement. If the one, you are again called on to lay your information before the proper power, and receive the merited thanks of the community; if the other, you are in your former ſituation;---for your character can receive no farther addition. You intended, no matter at what expence of truth or honor, to ſerve a particular purpoſe. You publiſhed it the day preceding the election of a Preſident, and as the profligate pandar of party ſcrupled not, as far as in you lay, to hurt the feelings of the innocent, and to injure him with his fellow-citizens, in order to carry factious and intereſted views. But know, poor weak tool, defamation and calumny, from ſuch ſources, never can wound the feelings of the honeſt. Wantonneſs, of ſuch a nature as you have been guilty of, cannot be found, unleſs in the journals of your factious aſſociation. There is nothing degrades and villifies human nature more, than ſuch breaches of morality as you have been guilty of, being an inlet to every vice; and did not ſuch a character now exiſt, the poſſibility of ſuch things would be juſtly doubted, and the impoſſibility of ſuch a being in exiſtence, who explodes all notions of moral good. But, to the diſgrace of human nature, we find there are ſuch wretches, and, to the diſgrace of ſociety, ſome people hold an acquaintance with them.

I have made ſome enquiry about you, and the iſſue precludes every ſentiment but that of contempt. There is no neceſſity to repeat, what I find is generally known---the uſes made of you in this country, and by whom; but your life, your conduct in the country you came from, may be new to others as it was to me, and eaſily accounts for any baſeneſs you may be guilty of here. The moſt ſolemn and ſocial tie you make ſport of, and, though ſanctified by every chriſtian nation, and ſupported by every virtuous member of ſociety, yet, in defiance of ſuch an opinion, you openly violate it. I ſpeak not here without book, as you do.---A very reputable gentleman, who knew you in Ireland, has publickly declared his knowledge of you; and I am well informed in a large company a certificate from a reſpectable magiſtate was openly read, equally deſcriptive of you. I ſhall now leave you, and charitably offer you, poor ſinner, ſome good advice. You are a bird of paſſage, and it may perhaps be uſeful to you; for convinced I am, the very people who now employ you will ere long deſpiſe you, when they can no longer uſe you, and then you will flit away to ſome other place, where your talents are unknown. Contempt will urge you; for, though callous to virtuous feelings, the loweſt of mankind feel that. I am told you have ſome little ſenſe, and ſome knowledge; therefore be aſſured, that where malignity, calumny, defamation and injuſtice dwell, all the ſenſe and knowledge in the world will not procure eſteem, friendſhip or reſpect. Repent, therefore, and make attonement for your crimes, which is the wiſh of

A FRIEND TO THE INJURED.

Wilmington, November 9th, 1782.

To the Honorable LEGISLATURE of NEW-JERSEY.

Righteouſneſs exalteth a nation, but ſin is a reproach to any people. BIBLE.

GENTLEMEN,

YOU are placed at the head of affairs at a time which will call for all your wiſdom; two requiſites are neceſſary to make an adminiſtration great; one is to govern well, the other is to govern ſo that the great body of the people ſhall think they are governed well. If the preſent Legiſlature are poſſeſſed of both, you will extricate us from our preſent difficulties. The Almighty hath placed in the breaſt of man ſomething like an inſtinct, which inclines him to juſtice where he is wholly diſintereſted, and it is one of the moſt noble principles which animate the human heart. JUSTICE then ſhould be wrote on the door of the Houſe in capitals; it ſhould be wrote on the table and on the walls, ſo that if it were poſſible it ſhould fly from your breaſts for a moment, in the heat of debate, in the hurry of buſineſs, or in paſſing an act wherein yourſelves ſhould be individually intereſted, look which way you would the word ſhould ſtrike the eye, and call back the original to the heart; ſo that no act nor no paragraph of an act ſhould paſs, until it had been tried by this ſtandard. If ever a thought ſhould enter the mind, that the State may be built up, or ſome way greatly advantaged by a maſter ſtroke of policy not founded on juſtice, baniſh it from the breaſt in an inſtant as an heretical thought, for there is not a propoſition in Euclid more demonſtrable than that contained in my motto, Righteouſneſs exalteth a nation. I do not conceive that the righteouſneſs here intended is an individual righteouſneſs, ſuch as was poſſeſſed by ſome particular perſons in the Jewiſh nation, but a public political righteouſneſs, which conſiſts in juſt, wiſe and ſalutary laws, and in a juſt, equal and impartial execution. That we have ſome laws which are not founded on juſtice is ſo notorious, that I think no one will be found hardy enough to ſay they are; I ſhall mention but two. The firſt is entituled, "An Act to amend an Act, entituled an Act to declare the value of Continental currency through the ſeveral periods of its depreciation, and to provide for the more equitable payments of debts." Like almoſt all other acts this hath a plauſible preamble, but where is the man that will ſay it is juſt? As facts are ſtubborn things, I will mention a few, and leave them to your conſideration. On the fifth day of October the table makes the Continental Dollar largely worth nine tenths of a Silver one; before that day wheat was ſelling at three dollars per buſhel, cows from fifteen to twenty pounds, Half-Johannes from twelve to twenty pounds, and the produce of the country in proportion in ſome parts of the State; let us ſuppoſe a perſon poſſeſſed of a Half-Johannes, ſells it for twelve pounds, the loweſt price, and puts the money at intereſt, he will now compel the debtor to pay him near five Half-Johannes, whereas in equity he ought to receive but about four pounds; and had he kept the money in his pocket it would not now be worth five ſhillings. That every perſon who chuſes to hold the property of another ſhould be ſecurity that it doth not diminiſh in his hands, is right; but that any perſon ſhould be compelled by law to return it trebled or quadrupled, is contrary to every rule of equity. Many inſtances might be produced, wherein perſons who have made a contract have paid half the money down, and there now remains more money due than the perſon ſelling the article valued it at themſelves in hard money; the unrighteouſneſs then of this law is notorious, and it is one of thoſe ſins which is a reproach to any people.

The other act is the militia bill; by this law a perſon who doth not attend in the field on a review day is ſubject to a fine of Three Pounds. I well know that when this act paſſed, the fines were aſſeſſed in State money, and that it was not of the value of hard; but as that is now done away, the act ought to be immediately amended, when the cauſe ceaſeth, the effect ought likewiſe to ceaſe. There is a conſiderable body of people in the State, who would not attend if they ſubjected themſelves to a fine of five times as much, becauſe their religious principles forbid it, therefore they might be as effectually deſtroyed by a militia bill as by an act of attainder. This law puts it in the power of an officer to gratify a private pique, if any are in office that would deſcend ſo low, and the property of no man ſhould be at the arbitrary diſpoſal of another; to determine what the fine ought to be, we muſt compute the value of a day's ſervice in the field; let us then ſuppoſe that the State receives a benefit from every perſon which appears in the field equal to Six Shillings, then from thoſe which do not it is entitled to a compenſation to the ſame amount, but by no means to Six Shillings and One-penny, becauſe it would then receive more from one part of the community than it doth from the other, and this is a political ſin. I call it compenſation for this reaſon; the militia ſtatute is a penal ſtatute, but I do not conſider it as inflicting a penal puniſhment, for puniſhment ſuppoſes depravity of heart; now the actions of man which are dictated by conſcience may be erroneous, but the ſtimula is not depravity, therefore a penal puniſhment muſt be unjuſt, and a compenſation is all the State can demand.

You muſt ever keep in view that the government is a democracy, and in this government the laws muſt all be directed to the general good; for although a deſpotic government may exiſt for ages, and the people hate the government and hate the deſpot, but it is far different in a democracy; the only cement which holds this together is the virtue of its ſubjects, or their love of the government; this muſt pervade the whole maſs and bind them together as with a ſilken or golden chain; it is in the very make of man to love a republican government that is conducted on republican principles, which always holds out to its ſubjects full ſecurity for the enjoyment of their religious and civil rights. In the firſt of theſe we have gone as far as any people ever went; Proteſtants of every denomination are placed in that point of light wherein nature and nature's God hath placed them on a perfect level; had we gone the length that a mind wholly philoſophic would have gone, and publiſhed to the world that we held not man accountable to man for his public or private devotion, but that our government was deſigned as a refuge for human nature and an aſylum for rationality, we ſhould have had the prayers of every enlightened mind in the moſt diſtant parts of the earth; but the queſtion now is, is property as ſecure as good laws can make it? And I am fearful, if we were weighed in the ballance (in this reſpect) we ſhould be found wanting.

The great and unneceſſary expence which attends recovering of debts in Courts of Juſtice is deſtroying the poor and middling claſs of the people; when the creditor proſecutes, all he wants is to recover his debt, not deſtroy the debtor; if then the debtor would confeſs judgment, and put in bail to be forth coming whenever he ſhould be demanded, there is no occaſion of declarations, and a long train of pleadings, to obtain that which the debtor is ready to confeſs; this is allowed in ſmall debts before a Juſtice, where the coſt is comparatively trifling, and hath on long experience been found beneficial; was it allowed in large ones, it would ſave thouſands annually to the induſtrious part of the community of New-Jerſey.

I ſhall conclude this addreſs with an excellent obſervation of Sir William Temple on the Britiſh government, and which will apply with equal juſtice to any moderate one.

"Thus much is certain, that whatever means will reſtore or raiſe the credit of his Majeſty's government at home, will do it abroad too; for a King of England, at the head of his Parliament and people, and in their hearts and intereſts, can never fail of making what figure he pleaſes in the world, nor of being ſafe and eaſy at home, and may deſpiſe all the deſigns of factious men, who can only make themſelves conſidered by ſeeming to be in the intereſt of the nation when the Court ſeems to be out of it; but in running on counſels contrary to the general humour and ſpirit of the people, the King indeed may make his Miniſters great ſubjects, but they can never make him a great Prince."

ARISTIDES.

OFFICE of FINANCE,

NOVEMBER 8, 1782.

NOTICE is hereby given to all whom it may concern, That COUNTERFEITS have appeared of the NOTES iſſued from this Office, ſtruck on copper-plate in the following form, "*At ſight pay to the bearer Twenty Dollars, for which this ſhall be your ſufficient warrant*;" which notes are ſigned by me, and directed to Mr. John Swanwick, Philadelphia. There were ſome notes of the ſame kind for Fifty and ſome for Eighty Dollars, which may perhaps be alſo counterfeited, though none have been yet diſcovered. The counterfeits are badly executed, and might with care be detected, but (from an apprehenſion that ſuch arts would be practiſed) I long ſince deſiſted from iſſuing them, and cancelled thoſe which were brought in for payment. There are now out only Sixteen Thouſand Six Hundred and Seventy Dollars, and as no great inconvenience can ariſe from putting a ſtop to the circulation of ſo trivial a ſum, the public are cautioned againſt receiving any notes ſtruck on copper-plate and ſigned with my name. All perſons holding thoſe which are genuine are deſired to ſend them to Mr. Swanwick, and receive the money.

ROBERT MORRIS.

CAME to the plantation of the ſubſcriber, living in Donegal townſhip, Lancaſter county, an old black COW, marked on the near ear. The owner is deſired to come, prove property, pay charges and take her away. ‡ JAMES CORK.

Philadelphia, November 8, 1782.

THE following Depth of PRIVIES or Neceſſary-houſes being fixed by Law, the Street Commiſſioners think it neceſſary to re-publiſh the ſame, of which all Perſons whom it does or may concern are deſired to take Notice, and govern themſelves accordingly, as it is enacted, "That if any Perſon or Perſons ſhall dig or cauſe to be dug, any ſuch Vault, Well or Sink, for Privies or Neceſſary-houſes, of any greater Depth than is hereunder mentioned, every ſuch Perſon or Perſons ſo offending, and being thereof legally convicted, ſhall forfeit and pay the Sum of Twenty Pounds, and the Perſon or Perſons employed in digging the ſame ſhall forfeit the Sum of Ten Pounds."

In Penn-Street, on the Weſt Side.

From Cedar-Street to Pine-Street, from or below the Level of Penn-Street, Ten Feet.

In Plumb-Street, on both Sides.

From the Level of the ſaid Street, Six Feet.

In King-Street.

From Spruce-Street to Vine-Street, Six Feet.

In Front-Street, on the Eaſt Side.

From Pine to Vine, below the Level of King-Street, Six Feet.

In Front-Street, on the Weſt Side Half-way Weſtward to Second-Street, from the Level of Front-Street.

From Vine Street to Emlen's Alley, Eighteen Feet.
From Emlen's Alley to High-Street, Twenty Feet.
From High-Street to Walnut-Street, Eighteen Feet.
From Walnut-Street to the Drawbridge, Fourteen Feet.
From Spruce-Street to Union-Street, Twelve Feet.
From Union-Street to Pine-Street, Sixteen Feet.
From Pine-Street to Cedar-Street, Eighteen Feet.

In Second-Street, on the Eaſt Side, Half-way Eaſtward to Front-Street, from the Level of Second-Street.

From Cedar-Street to Pine-Street, Eighteen Feet.
From Pine-Street to Union-Street, Sixteen Feet.
From Union to an Alley between Brown and Fiſher, 12 Feet.
From ſaid Alley to Walnut Street, Fourteen Feet.
From Walnut-Street to Cheſtnut-Street, Sixteen Feet.
From Cheſtnut-Street to Vine-Street, Twenty Feet.

In Second-Street, on the Weſt Side, Half-way to Third-Street.

From the Level of Second-Street (excepting in the hollow or low Ground, between Second and Third-Streets, and between Mulberry-Street and Church-Alley, in which they may be dug Sixteen Feet deep, to be meaſured from the Surface of the Earth there.)

From Vine-Street to Cheſtnut-Street, Twenty Feet.
From Cheſtnut-Street to Union-Street, Fifteen Feet.
From Union-Street to Cedar-Street, Eighteen Feet.

In Third-Street, on the Eaſt Side, Half-way to Second-Street, from the Level of Third-Street (excepting as before excepted.)

From Cedar-Street to Cheſtnut-Street, Fifteen Feet.
From Cheſtnut-Street to Vine-Street, Twenty Feet.

In Third-Street, on the Weſt Side, Half-way to Fourth-Street, from the Level of Third-Street.

From Vine-Street to High-Street, Twenty Feet.
From High-Street to Cheſtnut-Street, Eighteen Feet.
From Cheſtnut-Street to Cedar-Street, Fifteen Feet.

In Fourth-Street, on the Eaſt Side, Half-way to Third-Street, from the Level of Fourth-Street.

From Cedar-Street to Willing's-Alley, Fifteen Feet.
From Willing's-Alley to Cheſtnut-Street, Sixteen Feet.
From Cheſtnut-Street to High-Street, Fifteen Feet.
From High-Street to Mulberry-Street, Fourteen Feet.
From Mulberry-Street to Vine-Street, Twenty Feet.

In Fourth-Street, on the Weſt Side, Half-way to Fifth-Street, from the Level of Fourth-Street.

From Vine-Street to Mulberry-Street, Eighteen Feet.
From Mulberry-Street to High-Street, Fourteen Feet.
From High-Street to Cheſtnut-Street, Fifteen Feet.
From Cheſtnut-Street Southward as far as Willing's-Alley, Eighteen Feet.
From thence to Cedar-Street, Fifteen Feet.

In Fifth-Street, on the Eaſt Side, Half-way to Fourth-Street, from the Level of Fifth-Street.

From Cedar-Street to Walnut-Street, Fifteen Feet.
From Walnut-Street to High-Street, Eighteen Feet.
From High-Street to Saſſafras-Street, Sixteen Feet.
From Saſſafras-Street to Vine-Street, Twenty Feet.

On the Weſt Side of Fifth-Street, extending Half-way to Sixth-Street, from the Level of Fifth-Street.

From Vine-ſtreet to Saſſafras-Street, Twenty Feet.
From Saſſafras-Street to High-Street, Sixteen Feet.
From High-Street to Walnut-Street, Eighteen Feet.
From Walnut-Street to Cedar-Street, Fifteen Feet.

In Sixth-Street, both Sides, extending Eaſtward Half-way to Fifth-Street, and Weſtward Half-way to Seventh-Street, from the Level of Sixth-Street.

From Vine-Street to Mulberry-Street, Eighteen Feet.
From Mulberry-Street to Cheſtnut-Street, Twenty Feet.
From Cheſtnut-Street to Cedar-Street, Eighteen Feet.

In Seventh-Street, both Sides, extending Eaſtward Half-way to Sixth-Street, and Weſtward Half-way to Eighth-Street, from the Level of Seventh-Street.

From Vine-Street to High-Street, Sixteen Feet.
From High-Street to the Strangers Burial-ground, Eighteen Feet.

In High-Street, from Half-way between Seventh and Eighth-Streets Weſtward to Broad-Street, in the Center Square.

From that Part of High-Street Northward, Half-way to Mulberry-Street, Twenty Feet.

And from High-Street Southward, Half-way to Cheſtnut-Street, Twenty Feet.

By Order of the Street Commiſſioners,

JOHN GRAFF, Clerk.

Philadelphia, November 6, 1782.

ALL perſons indebted to WILLIAM SHREVE, of Manſfield townſhip, in the county of Burlington, Storekeeper, are deſired to pay their debts to Robert Emley, Clayton Newbold, or Caleb Newbold, who are impowered by the ſubſcribers to receive them, or they may expect to be ſued; and thoſe who have any demands againſt the ſaid William Shreve, are deſired to bring in their accounts to the ſaid Robert Emley, Clayton or Caleb Newbold, or to either of us.

JEREMIAH WARDER, jun.
MORDECAI LEWIS,
SAMUEL COATS, † } Aſſignees of William Shreve.

TO BE SOLD,

A VALUABLE PLANTATION and tract of LAND, containing about 114 acres, ſituate in East Caln townſhip, Cheſter county, on which is a good dwelling-houſe and barn, ſtables and other out-houſes, about 15 acres of good watered meadow, and more may be made; alſo two bearing orchards, good running water in every field, the woodland well timbered, and a conſtant ſtream of water, within one rod of the door. For particulars enquire of the ſubſcriber living on the premiſes.

November 8, 1782. † ROGER NORTH.

Charles Townſhip, Cheſter County.

WHEREAS DAVID JAMES, by a certain inſtrument of writing, either forged or falſe, read to me ſaid James, by Anthony Campbell, living at Downing's-town; NOTICE is hereby given to all whom it may concern, that no one is to purchaſe that part of the eſtate which Owen James and his wife Jane doth claim a right to, bearing date the 25th day of March, *Anno Domini* 1779, by reaſon I never conveyed ſaid writing upon oath. ¶ DAVID JAMES.

PARIS, *August* 26.

THE 4th inſtant, the Duc de Grillon reviewed in the camp before Gibraltar 4000 volunteers who are to go up to the aſſault of that fortreſs; 8000 bombs were diſtributed on the 5th, by his order, to the gun boats.

The following is an extract from a journal at Algeſiras, from the 22d to the 31ſt of July:

On the 22d we ſaw a French convoy, eſcorted by two frigates, paſs by in the Streights.

The 25th, in the morning, a corvette and bilander, both Engliſh, the one of 24, the other of 26 guns, having a crew of 150 men on board, had got into Gibraltar in ſpite of us: and immediately after General Elliot had received intelligence of the victory on the 12th of April, gave marks of his joy by a ſalute of 63 bullets, bombs, and grenades, which were returned by 130 red balls, and was repeated in the evening.

The 26th, the Engliſh unloaded the veſſels which arrived in that port the evening before, of a quantity of ſacks and barrels. They added ſome cannon to the battery below that of Eſcalerilla; they continued to repair that of Queen Anne.

The 27th, the volunteers of Catalonia attempted to take by force from the quarters of the volunteers of Crillon, a party of women, who were unwilling to go, and who remained, notwithſtanding receiving ſeveral ſtrokes on both ſides. They tranſportation of the fauciſſes, to ſet the mines on fire, continues. The enemies having turned their mortars towards the ſea, to the weſt of the point of Europa, they carried ſtones for the purpoſe undoubtedly of erecting a new battery at the very ſummit of the rock; they laboured upon thoſe of the Old Mole. We perceived in the port of the enemy a large ſelucca, which probably entered there on the 25th, without our having perceived it, with the corvette and bilander. Our centinels have diſcovered at the weſt five ſhips of the line, ſome frigates, and four other ſmall Spaniſh ſhips.

The 28th, we continued to work on the floating batteries. That called the Paula, which is of 24 guns, will be finiſhed early in Auguſt, when a trial of it will be made; and it will be brought to the Bay of Algeſiras, at Ponta Monjorca, under one of the batteries on ſhore, which the French have erected, and raiſed 40 guns upon. An expreſs from the Ambaſſador of the King of Spain at Liſbon, was brought this day to the twenty principal Commanders by ſea and land, with diſpatches, in conſequence of which ſome diſpoſitions have been made; and if the Engliſh ſhould come in the way of our gun boats, they will not ſpeedily eſcape.

The 29th, a continuation of the tranſporting of the facinea, for which a gratification was given of a livre of France to each ſoldier, 30 ſols to a corporal, two livres to a ſerjeant, and three to a captain. They have already 36,000. In the evening four picquets of workmen relieved four others who were employed on both ſides of the line in arranging the fauciſſes in piles, ſo that the enemy, who diſcharged 40 cannon, could ſcarcely perceive them. On the part of the Engliſh, they worked on the batteries to the weſt of the mills, the caſtle of the Moors, the ſummit of the rock, and at the epaulement of that of the mortars.

The 30th, nothing remarkable.

The 31ſt, the general dined at Algeſiras with the intendant of the army, and after holding a council, returned to his general quarters. General Elliot has opened two new batteries upon us towards the Old Mole. This day and for ſome days paſt, ſome ſhips from Cadiz and Saville entered here, with cannon, ſome other ammunition, and proviſions.

Paris, Auguſt 29. It is almoſt certain that the Count de Eſtaing will have the command of the Antilles fleet. M. de Bouille ſet off yeſterday for Rochfort, where he will embark on board the Venus, a frigate of 40 guns. Four regiments which are intended to go to the Antilles this autumn, are already on their march towards Breſt.

LONDON.

Sept. 7. Eleven ſail of Baltick ſhips have arrived ſafe in the river; they came over under neutral flags; four of them have cargoes for the king's yard.

According to letters from Madrid, the court were ſo very intent on the ſiege of Gibraltar, that they had diſpatched ten ſquadrons of horſe to oppoſe any ſallies of the garriſon, though it is far from being certain that cavalry can be employed to any good effect.

Letters from Portſmouth ſay, that orders were come down for 5000 troops to be embarked on board ſome merchantmen which are lying there for the Weſt Indies, and that they are expected to ſail from thence in the courſe of a few days, under convoy of the Proſerpine frigate, and two others.

A correſpondent ſays, a wiſe Miniſter ſhould never reſolve upon any thing, at leaſt never let the world know his reſolution; a man muſt act according to accidents and emergencies.

The Dutch ſtill inſiſt upon being reimburſed for the whole expences and loſſes they have ſuffered during the war; theſe they eſtimate at five millions.

The value of the fleet expected from the Baltick, is calculated at 2,230,000 l. ſterling; the cargoes on account of government are reckoned at more than a million.

The act of the 6th of George I. which bound Ireland on a dependence on England, having given riſe to much converſation, both before and ſince its repeal, it may not be thought incurious to ſtate the particulars which firſt gave riſe to it.

In the year 1718, or 1719, Maurice Anneſly, Eſq. had appealed to the Houſe of Peers in England, from a decree of the Houſe of Peers in Ireland, which was reverſed. The Britiſh Peers ordered the Barons of the Exchequer in Ireland, to put Mr. Anneſly in poſſeſſion of the lands he had loſt by the decree in that kingdom. The Barons obeyed this order, and the Iriſh Houſe of Peers paſſed a vote againſt them, as having attempted to diminiſh the juſt privileges of the Parliament of Ireland, and at the ſame time ordered the Barons to be taken under the cuſtody of the Black Rod.

On the other hand, the Houſe of Lords in England reſolved, that the Barons of the Exchequer in Ireland had acted with courage and fidelity; and addreſſed the King to ſignify his approbation of their conduct by ſome marks of his favour. To complete their intention, a bill was prepared, by which the Iriſh Houſe of Lords *was deprived of all rights of final juriſdiction.* This, however, was warmly oppoſed in both Houſes. In the Lower Houſe it was aſſerted, that it would only increaſe the power of the Engliſh Peers, who already had too much. Mr. Hungerford demonſtrated, that the Iriſh Lords had always exerted that power of finally deciding cauſes, and the Duke of Leeds produced fifteen reaſons againſt the Bill: but notwithſtanding all oppoſition, it was carried by a great majority, received the royal aſſent in the year 1720, and was repealed *in toto* in the year 1782.

Admiral Hughes is not returning from the Eaſt Indies; nor is any officer appointed to ſucceed him; beſides that, he has not been his time. Government are perfectly well ſatisfied with his conduct.

By letters from France, it appears, that all paſquinades reſpecting the Count de Graſſe have ſubſided, and that the hero is almoſt become as great a favourite as he was before he took the command of the fleet in the Weſt Indies.

It was yeſterday reported at the Weſt-end of the town, that as ſoon as Gibraltar is relieved, a ſquadron of light ſhips and veſſels will ſail on a ſecret expedition againſt ſome of the Spaniſh ſettlements in South America. It is alſo ſaid, that two complete regiments of foot, and double the compliment of the ſhips marines, will be embarked on board this ſquadron; the command of which is to be given to Captain Macbride, as commodore.

The augmentation of the troops intended for Gibraltar, will, it is ſaid, encreaſe the number of the garriſon to near 8000 men.

An officer in Gibraltar writes this to his friend in town---- "You read much of our diſtreſs in the papers, and form, perhaps, the moſt extravagant ideas of our wants, our fatigues, our dangers, and miſeries of every kind.----As a man of fancy, I allow you to exerciſe your imagination to the utmoſt; and when you have done that, believe me, you will fall infinitely ſhort of what we ſuffer."

The people of Portugal are conſiderable gainers by our war with America, whoſe veſſels viſit their ports, and carry away conſiderable quantities of their goods: it muſt, however, be acknowledged, that the American flag is not permitted to enter the harbours of Portugal, but that the traffic they carry on there, is under the ſanction of the colours of different neutral powers.

BOSTON, *October* 31.

The people of this country are too ſenſible not to diſcern the importance of the preſent criſis of public affairs: They are too wary to fall into the ſnares laid for them by their enemies: They have too high a ſenſe of honor not to act up to the whole ſpirit of their engagements with foreign powers; and too well acquainted with their own intereſt to grudge the neceſſary expences for the remainder of a war, which, if well ſupported, muſt very ſoon terminate in as ſolid a glory, and as important advantages as were ever poſſeſſed by any people.

'Tis ſaid a veſſel has arrived at Cape Ann, which ſpoke with a Daniſh veſſel at ſea, who informed that Gibraltar had ſurrendered to his Moſt Catholic Majeſty. We hope in our next to give our readers a confirmation of this moſt agreeable and important intelligence.

Britiſh ſhips of war at Halifax the 20th October, and out upon a cruiſe---Renown, 50 guns, out; Huſſar, 32 ditto, out; Charleſtown, 28 ditto, out; Savage ſloop, 18 ditto, out; Chatham, ditto, to ſail in three days; three frigates, names unknown, in port, and fitting to ſail in a ſhort time; three or four ſloops of war ready to ſail; ſeveral brigs in the King's ſervice, and private property, will ſail on a cruiſe.

SALEM, *October* 24.

The privateer ſhip Mohawk, Captain Carnes, from Beverly, and the privateer ſhip Hendrick, Captain Benſon, from this place, are captured by the enemy, and carried into New-York. It is ſaid that a brig, alſo from this place, has been taken and carried into the ſame port.

We hear that the crews of the above privateers have been forcibly diſperſed on board the Britiſh men of war.

NEW-YORK, *November* 6.

Laſt Sunday evening arrived his Majeſty's ſhip Germain, Captain Ball, from Charleſtown, which port ſhe left the 19th ult. and brings account of a fleet having ſailed from it for St. Auguſtine, on the 13th, with two regiments of Provincial troops, and a great number of Loyaliſts on board. Another fleet was preparing to ſail from Charleſtown; it was ſaid that troops were to embark in it for Halifax.

The firſt diviſion of the fleet which ſailed from this port the 20th of September laſt, arrived at Charleſtown about the 1ſt ult. and a brig which ſailed with the ſecond diviſion, had alſo arrived there before the Germain left it.

Nov. 9. Yeſterday arrived after ſeveral months cruiſe, the brigantine Fair American.----From the accounts brought by this veſſel we are told, that about five days ago, off Cape Hatteras, ſhe fell in with a Sloop of War from England, bound with diſpatches for New-York, had been out about five weeks, and as the wind has ſince proved tolerably fair, her appearance may be hourly expected.

Same day arrived a brig loaded with ſalt, from Turks-Iſland, prize to the Bonetta ſloop of war; alſo the brig Nancy, Captain Dalzel, in 15 days from Tortola, with a lading of rum, and, if we truſt to common report, we are informed, that a detachment of Britiſh troops, with a body of volunteers from the ſeveral Britiſh iſlands, had proceeded againſt the iſland of St. Kitts.

Yeſterday arrived the ſhip Triumph, Captain Stout, of 22 guns, in 23 days from Jamaica, by whom we learn, that on the 22d of September, Major O'Brien arrived at Jamaica, in his Majeſty's armed ſchooner the Poſt Boy, expreſs from Black River, on the Muſquito Shore, with diſpatches from Colonel Deſpard, intimating the retaking of that poſt, and the other principal Britiſh ſett'ements from the Spaniards, on the firſt of September, by capitulation; the priſoners ſecured were, 1 Colonel, 1 Lieutenant Colonel, 1 Major, 10 Captains, 20 Subalterns, and 750 rank and file.---On the ſame day a polacre was taken by the Jamaica ſloop of war, with 130 Spaniſh troops, proviſions, ſtores, &c.

TRENTON, *November* 6.

At a joint meeting of the Honorable the Council and Aſſembly, on Wedneſday laſt, His Excellency William Livingſton, Eſquire, was re-elected Governor of this State for the enſuing year; and John Stephens, jun. Eſquire, was re-appointed Treaſurer.

A legiſlative correſpondent remarks, that to the choice of the former there was but one diſſentient, and to that of the latter only three.

PHILADELPHIA, *November* 13.

Thurſday laſt His Excellency JOHN DICKINSON, Eſquire, was elected Preſident, and the Honorable JAMES EWING, Eſquire, Vice-Preſident of the Supreme Executive Council of Pennſylvania. After the election, the Aſſembly and Council, the Judges of the Supreme Court, the Magiſtrates, militia officers and other officers of government, proceeded to the Court-houſe, from whence their commiſſions were proclaimed by the Secretary of the Council, amidſt an unuſual concourſe of the moſt reſpectable citizens of Philadelphia, who expreſſed their happineſs upon this occaſion, by repeated acclamations of joy.

And yeſterday came on the election of Delegates, to repreſent this State in Congreſs for the enſuing year, when the following gentlemen were choſen, viz. Thomas Mifflin, Thomas Fitzſimmons, James Wilſon, John Montgomery, and Richard Peters.

His Excellency General Waſhington has again eſtabliſhed the Head-Quarters of the army at Newburgh.

By a perſon who left New-York on Thurſday laſt, we are informed, that the Diſpatch veſſel, which ſailed from that city about 12 days ago, with orders, as it was ſaid, to countermand the evacuation of Charleſtown, had returned with advice, that part of the garriſon had already departed for St. Auguſtine, and that the remainder was preparing to embark for Halifax, Nova-Scotia.

A paragraph in the New-York paper of the 6th inſtant, corroborates the above account.

Deſertion, at no time ſince the revolution, was ever more prevalent among the Britiſh than at preſent; for both Britiſh and Heſſians are daily coming in from New-York.

Monday laſt a gentleman arrived in this city from Boſton, who informs, that the ſhip Alexander of that port, had juſt returned after a ſhort paſſage from France, with the agreeable advice that the St. James, the Waſhington, and the Queen of France, all letters of marque from this port, had arrived at L'Orient, and had carried in with them, a Britiſh 44 gun ſhip, which, after a ſmart engagement, they captured, together with two other veſſels. It is ſaid that the enemy had 17 men killed by the firſt broadſide, which was given by the St. James.

The State Ship Tartar of Boſton, has taken and ſent into port a prize brig laden with 2700 buſhels of ſalt.

On Monday the 28th ult. died at his ſeat at Whitemarſh, Mr. WILLIAM WEST, after a ſhort fit of illneſs, which he bore with the greateſt firmneſs and equanimity, and on Wedneſday morning his remains were interred in this city, attended by many worthy and reſpectable inhabitants. He was certainly a gentleman of very unblemiſhed reputation; amiable and gentle in his diſpoſition; affable and courteous in his deportment; chearful in his temper, though grave in his aſpect; generous and polite in his manner of living; ſincere, and deſervedly happy, in his family connections; and to the higheſt degree upright and exact in his dealings. He was long an eminent and principal merchant in this city. In his conduct the integrity of his heart, and the candour of his principles were ſo diſtinguiſhed and conſpicuous, that his loſs is moſt univerſally regretted by the public, and all who had the pleaſure of his acquaintance.

*** A Plan of the undivided Tracts of Land, advertiſed to be ſold THIS EVENING at the Coffee-houſe, may be ſeen at the place of ſale.

STATE of PENNSYLVANIA.
IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY,
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 1782.

The Bill, entituled "An Act for the Relief of *John Senſenigh*, an inſolvent Debtor, confined in the Goal of *Lancaſter* County," was read the ſecond Time, and debated by Paragraphs:

Ordered to be tranſcribed for a third Reading, and in the mean Time printed for Public Conſideration.

Extract from the Minutes,
PETER Z. LLOYD, Clerk of the General Aſſembly.

An ACT *for the relief of* John Senſenigh, *an inſolvent debtor, confined in the goal of* Lancaſter *county.*

WHEREAS *John Senſenigh*, a priſoner confined in the goal of *Lancaſter* county for debt, by his petition to the late Houſe of Aſſembly hath ſet forth, that by reaſon of divers loſſes and misfortunes he is wholly unable to ſatisfy his creditors, and hath prayed that he may be diſcharged from further confinement, which ſaid petition is among other buſineſs ſpecially referred to this Houſe: And it appearing that the ſaid *John Senſenigh* has fully complied with the directions of the late Houſe, in giving proper notice in the news-papers of his application, and the prayer of his ſaid petition being found reaſonable and neceſſary by this Houſe;

Be it therefore enacted, and it is hereby enacted by the Repreſentatives of the Freemen of the Commonwealth of Pennſylvania, *in General Aſſembly met, and by the authority of the ſame,* That the county Court of Common Pleas in and for the county of *Lancaſter*, (by the proceſs of which Court the ſaid *John Senſenigh* hath been committed) be, and they are hereby authoriſed and required, upon the petition of the ſaid *John Senſenigh*, to grant unto him the like relief as by the laws of this State is provided and enacted for inſolvent debtors, who are confined in execution for debt not exceeding *One Hundred and Fifty Pounds* to any one perſon.

And be it further enacted by the authority aforeſaid, That the ſame Court, upon ſuch petition being made to them by the ſaid *John Senſenigh*, for his diſcharge as aforeſaid, ſhall thereupon proceed in all things conformably to the purport, intent and meaning of the ſeveral acts of Aſſembly now in force in this Commonwealth, for the relief of inſolvent debtors, not owing more than *One Hundred and Fifty Pounds* to one perſon as aforeſaid, that their diſcharges be equally valid and effectual, and their proceedings equally good and binding, to all intents and purpoſes whatſoever.

Provided always, and be it further enacted by the authority aforeſaid, That if any creditor or creditors of the ſaid *John Senſenigh* do not or ſhall not reſide in this State at the time of ſuch proceedings before the ſame Court, that the ſervice of notice of the application to the ſaid Court, or of any rule or order of the ſame Court in the premiſes, on the known agent or attorney of ſuch creditor or creditors within this State, ſhall be equally good and effectual, as if the ſame notice or notices were ſerved on ſuch creditor or creditors in perſon.

Eaſton, Northampton county, November 4, 1782.

By virtue of a Writ of Venditioni Exponas to me directed, will be expoſed to public SALE, at the houſe of WILLIAM KERN, in HIDELBERGH townſhip, on MONDAY, the 2d day of December next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon,

A CERTAIN tract of LAND, ſituate in ſaid townſhip, bounded by land of Martin Harker, Adam Kunkle and Balthazer Wert, and containing 50 acres, more or leſs, late the property of Ludwig Stein, ſeized and taken in Execution by

¶ ROBERT TRAILL, Sheriff.

Eaſton, Northampton county, November 4, 1782.

By virtue of Writs of Venditioni Exponas to me directed, will be expoſed to public SALE, at the houſe of Col. NICHOLAS KERN, in TOWAMENSING townſhip, on TUESDAY, the 3d day of December next, the following premiſes, viz.

A CERTAIN tract of LAND, ſituate in ſaid townſhip, bounded by land of John Halin, Frederick Gultner and Henry Matthias, and containing 200 acres, more or leſs, with buildings and improvements thereon, late the property of Benedict Shnyder: Sale to begin at 10 o'clock in the forenoon. Alſo one third part of a certan SAW-MILL and 10 acres of LAND, ſituate in the townſhip aforeſaid, on Long-Run, bounded by the river Leheigh, vacant land and land of John Dunn, late the property of Aſher Carter: Sale to begin at 12 o'clock. Said premiſes ſeized and taken in Execution and to be ſold by

¶ ROBERT TRAILL, Sheriff.

Eaſton, Northampton county, November 4, 1782.

By virtue of a Writ of Venditioni Exponas to me directed, will be expoſed to public SALE, at the houſe of JACOB BRINKER, in HAMILTON townſhip, on MONDAY, the 9th day of December next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon,

A CERTAIN tract of LAND, ſituate in LOWER SMITHFIELD townſhip, bounded by land late of George Lern and others, and containing 70 acres, more or leſs, part whereof is improved. Late the property of John Lern, deceaſed, ſeized and take in Execution by

¶ ROBERT TRAILL, Sheriff.

Hambleton townſhip, Cumberland county, Nov. 1, 1782.

WHEREAS a certain Barnabas Gallaher, on the 16th of November, 1781, left a ſorrel MARE at my houſe to winter; ſhe is a natural trotter, about thirteen hands and an half high, ten or eleven years old. The owner is deſired to come, within ſix weeks from this date, and take her away, and pay all charges that has accrued upon her; otherwiſe ſhe will be ſold according to law for the ſame, by me

† 1 w. PETER KERBEY.

RUN AWAY from ISAAC ALLEN, in the city of Philadelphia, on the 4th inſtant, an indented NEGROE WOMAN, named PHEBE, and took her Child with her, called HANNAH, near three years old. The woman is between 22 and 23 years old, a ſhort, chunkey, likely wench, and had a great variety of clothes with her, ſo that her cloathing cannot be particularly deſcribed. She is ſuppoſed to be ſecreted ſome where in Philadelphia, under the name of being free. Whoever takes up ſaid wench and child, and delivers them to ELIJAH WEED, Keeper of the New Goal, ſhall have FOUR DOLLARS Reward, or if taken in the country, and brought to their maſter, living in Mill-Creek hundred, New-Caſtle county, ſhall have SIX DOLLARS Reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by

† WILLIAM JOHN.

JUST PUBLISHED,
And to be SOLD by the Printers hereof,
POOR RICHARD's
BOOK AND POCKET
ALMANACKS,
For the YEAR of our LORD, 1783.

KAIGHN & ATTMORE,

In Front-ſtreet, a few Doors below Arch-ſtreet, have for SALE,

A VARIETY of ſuper and ſuperfine Broadcloths,
Scarlet, blue, green, brown and cloth coloured Rattinets,
Blue & cloth coloured Shalloons
Brown & cloth coloured Durants
White, green, brown, purple, light cloth coloured and lay-lock Silk Serges,
An aſſortment beſt Scarff Twiſt,
Dark & light ground Chintzes,
Black half-ell Sattin,
White half-ell Sarſnet,
Cambricks and Lawns,
Womens purple, plain & flowered Lamb Mitts,
Womens beſt white Kid Gloves,
Black and green Death-head Buttons,
Gold and ſilver ſpangled Ditto,
White & orange coloured Sarſnet Ribbands,
Shirt Buttons,
Silk Knee-garters of various colours,
A few pieces of Jeans,
Low priced country Cloths,
Mens brown Thread Gloves,
Whitechaple Needles,
Fine Book Muſlin Handkerchiefs,
Cinnamon,
Camphor,
Epſom Salts,
Jeſuits Bark in bottles,
Black and cloth coloured Bindings,
Laval Linens,
Bordered Gauze Handkerchiefs,
Straw coloured Sewing Silk,
Black Serge Denim,
White Dimities,
Royal Rib,
Black Glaſs Beads,
Stamped Waiſtcoat Patterns,
Braſs Hanging Compaſſes for ſhips cabbins,
Five & ſix quarter Book Muſlins
Yard wide and ſix quarter Jaconet Ditto,
Yard wide, plain and ſtriped French Muſlins,
Logwood by the ton,
A copper Still of 51 gallons, with worm compleat,
Burlington Pork in barrels,
Hogs Lard in kegs,
Gammons by the barrel or unpacked, as may ſuit the purchaſer,
Coarſe Salt in barrels,
Burr Middlings. ¶ 4 w

Philadelphia, October 21, 1782.

LEFT at the ſtore of the ſubſcribers, on the ſouth ſide of Market-ſtreet wharff, about three months ago, a SILVER WATCH, maker's name W. Matthews, London. The owner, describing the other marks, charge of this advertiſement, may have it again, on paying the by applying to
FISHER and ROBERTS.

N. B. Said FISHER and ROBERTS have for ſale, beſt hyſon and bohea tea, rum, ſpirits, Madeira wine, loaf and Muſcovado ſugars, a pipe of Liſbon wine of the vintage 1775, and ſundry articles in the grocery way. ¶

Lancaſter Goal, October 14, 1782.

I DO hereby give notice to all and every of my creditors, that I have applied to the Honorable Houſe of Aſſembly of the Commonwealth of Pennſylvania, for a Law to enable the Court of Common Pleas to diſcharge me from my impriſonment; and my creditors are hereby notified to attend the next ſitting of the Houſe, to make their objections, if any they have, why ſuch a law ſhould not be paſſed. ¶ JOHN SINSINIGH.

To be LETT on Rent or Shares,

A COMPLEAT new FULLING-MILL, with two ſtocks, on a never failing ſtream of water. The houſe is 28 feet by 18, two ſtories high, with good new utenſils of every kind neceſſary to carry the buſineſs on with diſpatch.

A good Journeyman FULLER is wanted at ſaid mill, ſituated in Kent county, Maryland, a very rich, healthy and pleaſant country.

Alſo to be LETT, for one or more years, at the ſame place, A compleat MALT and BREW-HOUSE, where may be made fifty barrels of ſtrong beer a week, and where may be had the greateſt plenty of good barley.

There are wanted at ſaid place, A good BLACKSMITH and Two good NAILORS. ISAAC PERKINS.

STRAYED or STOLEN from the ſubſcriber, in Cheltenham townſhip, Philadelphia county, on Friday, the 20th September laſt, A black MARE, full 15 hands high, branded on the near buttock thus (Io. L.) a very ſmall white ſpeck in her forehead, five years old paſt, ſome white hairs in her mane, occaſioned by the collar, a natural trotter, but goes a ſort of racking pace, by reaſon of a ſtrain in her back. Whoever ſecures ſaid mare, ſo that the owner may get her again, ſhall receive FOUR DOLLARS REWARD; but if ſtolen, and the thief convicted, ſhall receive THREE POUNDS, and all reaſonable charges, paid by
October 1, 1782. SAMUEL LEECH.

STOLEN out of the paſture of the ſubſcriber, living in New-Caſtle, in the Delaware State, A ſorrel HORSE, four years old, 14 and an half hands high, a natural pacer, ſhod before, and hath lately been galled on each ſhoulder with the collar, his left ear hangs ſomething lower than the other, or rather what is called lop ear'd. Any perſon taking up ſaid horſe and thief, and ſecuring the horſe, ſo that the owner may have him again, ſhall have the ſum of SIX POUNDS for both, or THREE POUNDS for the horſe only, and reaſonable charges, paid by
Sept. 24, 1782. § MALCOLM M'PHATRIDGE.

TO BE SOLD,

A LIKELY NEGROE BOY, 15 years of age, has had the ſmall-pox, and is regiſtered agreeable to law. Enquire of the PRINTERS. ¶

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

WAS STOLEN from the Subſcriber, living in Warwick townſhip, Lancaſter county, on the night of the 23d inſtant, a dark brown MARE, about 14 hands high, 8 years old, trots and paces, has a large ſtar and ſnip, alſo on her left ſhoulder a black ſpot, the bigneſs of a penny, and under her mane a wart about as big as a haſel-nut, no brand nor ear-mark. Whoever takes up ſaid mare and thief, ſo that the owner may have her again, and the thief be brought to juſtice, ſhall have the above reward, or THREE POUNDS for the mare, with reaſonable charges, paid by DANIEL GINGRY.

October 12, 1782.

To be SOLD at private SALE,

A PLANTATION, containing 180 acres of LAND, in the townſhip of Londonderry, lying on the great road leading from Lancaſter to Newport, one half of which is wood land well timbered, a log houſe, barn, ſtable and orchard, about five or ſix acres of meadow, and more may be made. Any perſon inclining to purchaſe, may apply to the ſubſcriber on the premiſes. GEORGE WHITE.

N. B. It is a ſuitable place for a STORE. ¶

WAS STOLEN out of the paſture of the ſubſcriber, living in East Caln townſhip, Cheſter county, Pennſylvania, on the 27th of September inſtant, A red roan HORSE, riſing four years old, round bodied, black mane, tail and legs, carries well, trots and canters; his mane very thin, and rub'd off at the withers; he has no feet-locks, but remarkably ſmooth, about 14 hands and an half high, ſhod before when taken. Whoever takes up the thief and horſe, and ſecures them, ſo that the thief be convicted, and the owner gets his horſe, ſhall have TWENTY DOLLARS REWARD, and for the horſe only, TEN DOLLARS, and all reaſonable charges, paid by
Sept. 28. ¶ PETER FLEMING.

TEN DOLLARS Reward.

RUN away from the ſubſcriber, living in Mill Creek Hundred, New-Caſtle county, Delaware State, on the 26th of May, 1782, a Negroe MAN, named Peter, about 25 years old, 5 feet 9 inches high, ſtrait and ſlender built, thin viſage, very ſmart and active, ſpeaks ſlow and ſoft, very ſubmiſſive, has a large ſcar on his left wriſt, underſtands farming and driving team; had on, when he went away, a ſheeps grey thick cloth coat, an old wool hat, tow linen ſhirt and trowſers, new ſhoes and copper buckles, is fond of ſtrong liquor and very ſubject to lying; he was born in Bucks county, in Pennſylvania State, and lived ſome years with one Jonathan Meredith, a tanner in Philadelphia; it is ſuppoſed he has made to Philadelphia or Bucks county. Any perſon ſecuring the above deſcribed fellow in any goal, ſo as his maſter may have notice thereof, ſhall receive the above reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by JOHN JAMES.

N. B. All maſters of veſſels are forbid to carry him off at their peril. § 3 m.

By the UNITED STATES *in* CONGRESS *aſſembled,*
September 12, 1782.

The Committee to whom was referred a Memorial of ROBERT AITKEN, Printer, dated the 21ſt of January, 1781, reſpecting an edition of the HOLY SCRIPTURES, Report,

"THAT Mr. Aitken has, at a great expence, now finiſhed an American edition of the Holy Scriptures in Engliſh; that the Committee have from time to time attended to his progreſs in the work; that they alſo recommended it to the two Chaplains of Congreſs, to examine and give their opinion of the execution, who have accordingly reported thereon;" the recommendation and report being as follows:

Philadelphia, 1ſt September, 1782.

Reverend Gentlemen,

Our knowledge of your piety and public ſpirit leads us without apology to recommend to your particular attention the edition of the Holy Scriptures publiſhing by Mr. Aitken. He undertook this expenſive work at a time when, from the circumſtances of the war, an Engliſh edition of the Bible could not be imported, nor any opinion formed how long the obſtruction might continue. On this account particularly, he deſerves applauſe and encouragement. We therefore wiſh you, Reverend gentlemen, to examine the execution of this work, and if approved, to give it the ſanction of your judgment, and the weight of your recommendation.

We are, with very great reſpect,
Your moſt obedient humble ſervant,
JAMES DUANE, Chairman in behalf of a Committee of Congreſs on Mr. Aitken's memorial.

Rev. Dr. White *and Rev. Mr.* Duffield, *Chaplains of the United States, in Congreſs aſſembled.*

REPORT.

Gentlemen,

Agreeably to your deſire, we have paid attention to Mr. Robert Aitken's impreſſion of the Holy Scriptures of the Old and New Teſtament. Having ſelected and examined a variety of paſſages throughout the work, we are of opinion that it is executed with great accuracy as to the ſenſe, and with as few grammatical and typographical errors as could be expected in an undertaking of ſuch magnitude. Being ourſelves witneſſes for the demand of this invaluable book, we rejoice in the preſent proſpect of a ſupply; hoping that it will prove as advantageous as it is honorable to the gentleman who has exerted himſelf to furniſh it, at the evident riſque of private fortune.

We are, Gentlemen,
Your very reſpectful and humble ſervants,
WILLIAM WHITE,
Philad. Sept. 10, 1782. GEORGE DUFFIELD.

Hon. James Duane, *Eſq; Chairman, and the other Hon. Gentlemen of the Committee of Congreſs on Mr.* Aitken's *memorial.*

Whereupon, Reſolved, That the United States in Congreſs aſſembled highly approve the pious and laudable undertaking of Mr. Aitken, as ſubſervient to the intereſt of religion, as well as an inſtance of the progreſs of arts in this country, and being ſatisfied from the above report of his care and accuracy in the execution of the work, they recommend this edition of the Bible to the inhabitants of the United States, and hereby authoriſe him to publiſh this Recommendation in the manner he ſhall think proper. CHARLES THOMSON, Secretary.

ROBERT AITKEN,

Printer, Bookſeller, Bookbinder and Stationer, at POPE'S HEAD, in Market-ſtreet, near the Coffee-Houſe, has juſt finiſhed, and has now ready for ſale, a new and very correct edition of

The HOLY BIBLE;

WITH which Bookſellers, Store keepers and others, in town and country, may be ſupplied by wholeſale and retail on the moſt reaſonable terms the times will admit.

The ſerious Chriſtian will be pleaſed to find, that the ſcarcity of Bibles, of which he has ſo long had reaſon to complain, is now removed; and the patriot will rejoice at the advance in the arts, which has at length produced *The Firſt Edition of the Holy Scriptures, in the Engliſh language, ever printed in America*; each of theſe will allow the merit due to ſo capital an undertaking; and the trader will find his intereſt in affording his patronage and encouragement to this work, as ſeveral circumſtances, particularly the largeneſs of the type, and the remarkable good quality of the paper, render this edition ſuperior to any of the ſame ſize imported from Europe.

N. B. The Bibles will be ſold either bound or in ſheets, and a ſuitable diſcount allowed to thoſe who purchaſe large quantities.

Likewiſe large FAMILY BIBLES. ¶

TAKEN up by the ſubſcriber, living in Moreland townſhip, Philadelphia county, on the 12th inſt. a brown HORSE, about 15 hands high, 9 or 10 years old, with a ſtar and ſnip, is blind of both eyes. The owner is deſired to come, prove his property, pay charges and take him away.
October 26. ¶ JOHN CASE.

BROKE into the incloſure of the ſubſcriber, a cheſnut ſorrel HORSE, about 14 hands high, a natural trotter, marked on the ſhoulder with a collar. The owner coming, proving his property and paying charges, may have him, by applying to me, in Oxford townſhip, Cheſter county.
Sept. 17, 1782. § DAVID HAYES.

To be SOLD by the Subſcriber,

THE valuable MERCHANT-MILLS and SAW-MILL, in East-Bradford, Cheſter county, with two pair of ſtones, one whereof is French burs, of the beſt quality, the other cullens; the bolting cloths are good, and the mills are in good order; water plenty, and little expence in keeping the dam in repair: It is turned by the main Brandywine creek. The mill-houſe is built of ſtone, and about 38 feet ſquare.-----Alſo a good dwelling-houſe, part frame and part ſtone, a good frame barn, ſtables and other out-houſes, with about 30 acres of good land, nine of which are good watered meadow, and as much more may be made with very little expence, and a good bearing orchard of the beſt fruit; being pleaſantly ſituated in a healthy part of the country, within 30 miles of Philadelphia, 15 of Marcus-Hook and Wilmington. Any perſon inclining to purchaſe, by applying to the ſubſcriber, living at ſaid mills, may know the terms.
Nov. 6, 1782. ¶ JOHN NORTH.

York, October 15, 1782.

ON the 5th inſtant, was taken up by the ſubſcriber, on the road near Little Codorus creek, a MAN without a paſs, his name unknown, his hair ſhort, ſandy coloured, grey eyes, large mouth, ſpeaks Dutch and broken Engliſh, ſaid he lived forty miles from Lancaſter; had on a white coat, coarſe tow breeches, his ſtockings mixed with blue and white, large ſpots of each colour, about 5 feet 5 inches high. He rode a dark bay pacing MARE, 6 years old laſt ſpring, no brand, with an old bridle, no ſaddle. Suppoſed to be a thief. On the way going to the Juſtice he haſtily alighted and fled, leaving the above mare in the great road. The owner coming and proving property, paying charges, may take her away, from
ALEXANDER M'KITRICK.

Dr. HILL's AMERICAN BALSAM,

SOLD in Philadelphia by Mr. William Poyntell, at his ſtore, three doors below Market-ſtreet, in Second-ſtreet, and directly oppoſite the Friends Meeting-houſe gate; alſo, by Mr. George Reinhold, at his ſtore, on the ſouth ſide of Market-ſtreet, and next door to the Black-Bear; by Mr. Steiner, at the German Printing-Office, in Race-ſtreet; at Germantown, by Mr. Juſtis Fox, and by the ſubſcriber, at Kingſeſs, near Gray's Ferry, on Schuylkill, and at preſent no where elſe. Price in ſpecie, *Seven Shillings and Six pence* per bottle, and by the dozen, at the rate of *Seven Shillings* a bottle.

It is now many years ſince this balſam has been well known to be a moſt effectual and infallible medicine for colds, coughs and aſthmas; that it gives great relief in the gravel, rheumatiſm, conſumption, cholic, jaundice and headachs; that it is a moſt excellent cure in the hooping-cough, and in moſt of the ſickneſſes of children, and for many other diſeaſes, as may be ſeen in the printed directions, in Engliſh and German, with each bottle; in old diſeaſes, of long ſtanding, it will be neceſſary to continue the uſe of this healing balſam, for a reaſonable time, by more than one ſingle bottle, and then they may expect relief from this, as thouſands of people can teſtify, who have tried other things without ſucceſs; but other diſeaſes are often perfectly cured by the uſe of only one bottle, and often a few doſes will perform the cure.

Each bottle is ſealed up with the repreſentation of a certain plant, in a heart; and if any balſam under this name ſhould be ſold at any other place, not named in my advertiſement, the public may be aſſured it is not Dr. Hill's balſam, but counterfeit, becauſe no other perſon in America is able to prepare the genuine balſam, for want of the principal ingredients of which Dr. Hill's American balſam is compoſed.
¶ WILLIAM YOUNG, Botaniſt.

Philadelphia, October 29, 1782.

ALL perſons having any demands againſt the eſtate of JOHN NELSON, late merchant of this city, deceaſed, are deſired to bring in their accounts, properly authenticated, that payment may be made; and all thoſe indebted to ſaid eſtate, are deſired to make immediate payment to
¶ JAMES CRAIG, Acting Executor.

STRAYED away from the ſubſcriber, in Cheſter, the 14th of Auguſt laſt, a ſpotted STEER, and a brindled COW, with ſome dark ſtreaks on its near ſhoulder. Whoever takes up and ſecures the ſaid cattle, ſo that the owner may have them again, ſhall receive TEN SHILLINGS Reward for each, and reaſonable charges, paid by ¶ JOSEPH ASHBRIDGE.

CAME to the plantation of the ſubſcriber, living in Weſt-Fallowfield townſhip, Cheſter county, ſome time in July laſt, a ſmall brindle COW, with a white face and white under her belly. The owner proving property and paying charges, may have her again, by applying to
¶ JAMES SMITH, jun.

Juſt publiſhed, and ſold by JAMES ADAMS, *at his Printing-Office, in Wilmington, and at Mr. George Reynbold's, bookſeller, in Market-ſtreet, Philadelphia,*

THE WILMINGTON ALMANACK,

For the YEAR of our LORD, 1783.

Among the contents of this Almanack (beſides the uſual aſtronomical calculations) are,

THE traveller and rainbow---The frogs deſire a King---A wag addreſſing himſelf to a Biſhop---Maternal affliction---On error---Reflections on unhappy marriages---The Vizir ſaddled and bridled---Scales of depreciation for the Jerſeys, Pennſylvania, Delaware and Maryland States, directing the mode of adjuſting and ſettling the payment of debts and contracts, &c.---The whole cloſed with an excellent NEW SONG on LIBERTY-HALL. ¶

Kent county, Maryland, September 20, 1782.

The ſubſcribers have for SALE, near Cheſter Town,

A BEAUTIFUL well built SCHOONER, ſaid to be an extreme fine piece of work, pierced with 12 ports, meaſures 125 tons, and will be launched in October. Any Perſon inclinable to purchaſe, may know the terms, by applying to
SUTTON, COMEGYS and Co.

Note. They will take goods in part payment.

BROKE into the paſture, at the Woodlands, the Seat of William Hamilton, Eſq; in the townſhip of Blockley, early in the ſummer, a ſtray dun HORSE. The owner, by paying charges, may have him, on application to
¶ RICHARD WHITEFIELD, Overſeer.

TO BE SOLD,

A PLANTATION, *in* Moreland townſhip, containing about 65 acres, ſituate on the Southampton road, adjoining land of Anthony Yerkes and Iſaac Roberts. There are erected thereon, a large two ſtory ſtone houſe, ſtable, orchard, and wood-land ſufficient for the place. For terms, apply to THOMAS HARPER, near the Premiſes. Moreland, Sept. 18, 1782. † 6 w.

Auguſt 26, 1782.

CAME to the plantation of the ſubſcriber, living in North-wales townſhip, ſome time ago, two COWS, one red, with a bell, the other a red pied cow. The owner or owners are deſired to come, prove their property, pay charges, and take them away. ¶ JACOB HOOT.

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SUPPLEMENT to the PENNSYLVANIA *GAZETTE*. No. 2735.

TO BE SOLD BY
MEREDITH & CLYMER,
A Quantity of the best CLARET, in Hogsheads and Cases;
Old CONIAC BRANDY;
DRY GOODS;
WINDOW GLASS, &c. &c.
November 5, 1782. ¶

TO BE SOLD,
On THURSDAY, the 5th day of December next, by PUBLIC VENDUE, on the premises,
About FORTY LOTS,
SITUATE on that beautiful, convenient and very public thoroughfair, between the city of Philadelphia and Baltimore town, called the POINT-LANDING, at the Head of Elk. A number of them front on a fine bank of the river, exceedingly convenient for a wharfage, being a bold shore and as good water as any where for several miles below, and quite as convenient to the country as the Point-Landing, having several large streets leading directly from them into the public roads, on which streets all the other lots are bounded. The whole will form a handsome village, commodiously situated for trade by land and water. A plan of which may be seen by applying to *William Montgomery*, at Dr. Gardner's, in this city, or to *Zebulon Hollingsworth*, near the premises. Attendance will be given, and terms made known on the day of sale, by WILLIAM MONTGOMERY, and
Philad. Nov 5. DAVID WALLACE.
N. B. Good titles will be given. §

PUBLIC SALE,
On THURSDAY, the 5th December next, if the Weather be fair, if not, the first good Day after, on the Plantation of WILLIAM HARRIS, in Springfield Township, Chester County, as follows, viz.

COWS, Sheep and Hogs; Wheat, Indian Corn, Rye, Oats and Flax-seed; a Waggon and two excellent draught Horses; an Ox Cart; a Horse Cart; a valuable breeding Mare and Foal; two beautiful blooded Colts, one three Years past, the other two; Implements of Husbandry, &c. &c.

Terms of Payment to be made known at the Place of Sale.

N. B. The said Plantation to be LETT, and entered on the first of March next; it is situated 12 Miles from Philadelphia, two from Delaware, and contains 170 Acres, 120 of which are cleared; the Dwelling-house, Barn and Stables, &c. are very good; the Situation is pleasant and healthy.

For Terms, apply to WILLIAM HARRIS, at his House in Strawberry-Alley, any Time before the Sale, or on the Day of Sale, at the Plantation aforesaid.

Philadelphia, November 6, 1782. ¶

To be SOLD at Public Sale,
The 28th day of November instant, on the premises,
A VALUABLE Tract of LAND, containing 50 acres, part woodland, with a good house, barn, spring-house, orchard and meadow, all under good fence with chesnut rails, lying in the township of Lower Merion, and county of Philadelphia, eleven miles from said city, joining the lands of John Llewellyn and others, late the estate of John Lloyd, deceased. Any person inclining to purchase may view the same, and know the terms, by applying to the subscriber,
¶ JOHN ROBESON, surviving Executor.

Philadelphia, September 3, 1782.
An English and Mathematical Academy,
BY JOHN HEFFERNAN, formerly of the College and latterly of the University of Pennsylvania, is just opened, in a commodious apartment, on the north side of Cypress street, between Third and Fourth streets Philadelphia---Where children, youth and foreigners may speedily be perfected in the rudiments of the English language, and all the practical branches of mathematics; particularly English grammar, reading, writing, arithmetic, book-keeping, geography and the use of the globes---Fractions, decimals, duodecimals, logarithms and extraction of roots---Mensuration, gauging, surveying and navigation of every kind---The elements of geometry, plain and spherical trigonometry, algebra and fluxions, with their occasional application to altimetry, longemitry, civil and military architecture, conic sections, projectiles, dialling and astronomy:---together with the construction and use of all such tariffs, scales, tables, plans, maps, charts and designs, as may be thought anywise necessary to embellish or illustrate the whole.

N. B. Said Heffernan will wait on young ladies and gentlemen, between school hours, as usual: and pay the utmost attention to the morals and manners of the youth and children committed to his tuition and care.

Doctrina sine Moribus vana.

Philadelphia, November 4, 1782.
SIX DOLLARS *Reward.*
STRAYED, since the latter end of August, two COLTS, one is an iron grey, was two years old last spring, the near hind foot white, has a long mane and tail, and goes heavy. The other is a mare Colt, was one year old last spring, is black, with some white hairs intermixed, has a white streak in her forehead, that reaches to the nose, has a long mane and tail, and had a leather strap, with two iron links, about her neck. Whoever secures the said colts, or can give notice where they are, to the subscriber, living on Mr. Caldwell's place, in Fourth-street, at the corner of Hickory-lane, shall receive the above reward, by
¶ GEORGE STAHLY.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned, that application will be made to the Legislature of the State of New-Jersey now sitting, for a Law to enable the owners and possessors of certain banked Meadows, lying in Lower Penn's-Neck, in the county of Salem, bounding on the river Delaware, between the fast land, now in the possession of John Callahan and Thomas Thackrey; to keep in repair the Dams, Banks and sluices thereof, so as effectually to prevent the tide from overflowing the same. Nov. 2, 1782. ‡

THE Inhabitants of Chester County, who are holders of Loan-Office Certificates, or otherways public Creditors, are requested to meet at the House of THOMAS CARPENTER, in East-Bradford, on the 16th Day of November next, at Ten o'Clock Forenoon, in order to endeavour to obtain the Justice that is due to them. Oct. 23. ¶

The Partnership of DAROCH and ROWLAND,
Saddle, Cap and Harness Makers,
Being dissolved,

THE subscriber begs leave to inform the public in general, and his friends in particular, that he carries on his business at the sign of the Saddle in Chesnut-street, between Second and Third-streets, three doors from the Cross-Keys Inn, Philadelphia.

He takes this opportunity to acknowledge the favours of his former customers, and to assure them and the public that all orders will be executed with the greatest neatness and dispatch, and as reasonable as the times will admit, by their much obliged and humble servant, JOHN DARROCH.

Philadelphia county, September 5, 1782.
NOTICE is hereby given to the
MILITIA of the county of PHILADELPHIA, that the following days are appointed by the MILITIA LAW as days of Exercise, viz.

IN COMPANIES the two first MONDAYS in the month of OCTOBER, and the two first MONDAYS in the month of NOVEMBER.

And shall begin mustering in BATTALION in the following manner, viz.

The First Battalion the 18th of November.
The Second ditto the 19th of November.
The Third ditto the 20th of November.
The Fourth ditto the 21st of November.
The Fifth ditto the 22d of November.
The Sixth ditto the 25th of November.
The Seventh ditto the 26th of November.

It is expected, that the Colonels give strict orders to their Captains, that the Returns of Delinquents be made on field day, and that they furnish the Sub-Lieutenants of the districts as soon as possible, so that the fines may be collected without delay.

WILLIAM COATS, Lieutenant of the county of Philadelphia.

N. B. The TROOP of LIGHT-HORSE are notified to meet on Tuesday the 26th of November, at 10 o'clock in the morning, at Chesnut-hill, the place of rendezvous of the 7th or Germantown battalion: They will be careful to appear properly equipped and accoutred. W. COATS, Lt. C. P.

To be SOLD at private Sale,
THAT elegant and well known STAND for mercantile business, situated on Stillpond Creek, in Kent county, Maryland, containing about 16 acres of land, divided into two lots, and under good fence, whereon is a commodious two story brick house, 40 feet in length, and 29 feet in breadth, 3 rooms on a floor, with passages and stair-cases, and an excellent stone cellar under the whole, part of which is made use of as a kitchen; also a granary sufficient to store from 15 to 20,000 bushels of grain; smoke-house, poultry-house, chair-house, stables, and a garden well paled in, with many other conveniencies. The land is situated about 35 miles above Baltimore town, and near the same distance from the Head of Elk, Back Creek and Bohemia, and is thought the best and most agreeable of any in the country, as it is equal to any for vending goods, and its situation gives it a particular advantage to any for the purchase of grain, as it lies in the best neighbourhood for grain of any in the county, about three miles from Cheasapeake-bay, within one mile of two grist-mills, about eight miles from Chester-town, and near the same distance from Turner's creek, and within two and an half miles of a Parish Church and Quaker Meeting-house. This place is deemed healthy and exceeding pleasant, blessed with an excellent spring of good water near the house, and in every respect calculated for mercantile business, either to or from Philadelphia or Baltimore-Town. A safe harbour for shallops at any time near the premises, and a great variety of fish and fowls in season. Cash, wheat, corn, or imported goods will be taken in payment. Any person inclining to purchase, may have a short credit for the whole or the greatest part of the purchase money, and made further acquainted with the terms, by applying to the subscriber, on the premises. ISAAC CANNELL.

N. B. If not sold it will be rented, and may be entered on the first day of January next. ¶ 6 w.

TO BE SOLD,
A GOOD MILL and PLANTATION, in Tredifferyn, 21 miles from Philadelphia; the mill is seated on the Valley creek, one of the most constant streams in this State. The hard winter 1778 she went constant, with very little interruption by the ice, when great numbers of mills were stopt for a considerable time, and also has done a great deal of work this dry season; the house is large, in it are two water wheels, it is planned for three pair of stones, two pair now in use, one pair of them burrs, three boulting chests, does a great deal of merchant work, when it suits, besides the custom, which is a great deal. The wheat in and near the Valley is of the best sort. It is usual to enumerate more than a purchaser can find, but I shall leave the whole to speak for itself, as the purchaser's eyes and ears are to be his directors. ¶ JOSEPH MITCHELL.

Annapolis, September 10, 1782.
JACK BRAY, alias GREEN,
THE slave of Mrs. ANN STEWART, of Ann Arunde county, ran away from his mistress about the 1st of June, then on a visit near Queens-town on the Eastern shore of Maryland. Jack will pass very well as a whiteman, being a remarkable light mulattoe, with grey or blue eyes, brown curling hair, and some freckles; tho' by attending to his dialect it may be discovered he has been much with negroes; he is 22 years of age, of a low stature, stout and well sett, his face is rather large for his size, his nose stubbed; he carried a variety of clothes with him, but as he offered some for sale before he went off, 'tis probable he has disposed of most of them; he is a tolerable good weaver, rough shoemaker, and occasionally rode as a postilion, in which character he was when he left his mistress. It appears from an advertisement of the first of July, under the signature of Capt. James Moore, of the Delaware regiment, that Jack enlisted with a recruiting party at Dover, by the name of John Wilson, and had deserted and taken with him a small bay horse, old saddle and curb bridle. A Reward of TEN POUNDS (gold) and all reasonable charges, shall be paid to any person who will apprehend and secure him, so that the subscriber may get him. Any information which may be given of him to Mr. James Tilghman, of Queen Ann's county, will be immediately communicated to the subscriber. CHARLES STEWART. ¶

STAGES.
THE Proprietors, who, through great expence and difficulty, formed the first line of Stages from this city to Baltimore, beg leave to return their sincere thanks to those ladies and gentlemen who have been pleased to favour their endeavours in support of this necessary institution: They solicit, at this period, a continuance of the favor and countenance of a generous public, as they are unalterably determined to carry on the business in its greatest perfection. Their horses, as to performance, and carriages, for convenience, are equalled by none. The distance is performed regularly and with dispatch, generally in less than 48 hours. Every attention and respect is paid to passengers, to render their situation agreeable and satisfactory.

NATHANIEL TWINING,
GABRIEL P. VANHORN.

N. B. The Coach and Waggon continues to set out on the usual days, from the Stage-Office in Fourth-street, opposite the Indian Queen, where the strictest attention is paid to baggage and letters, by the public's humble servants. N. T.
G. P. V.

CAME to the place of the subscriber, at Gloucester-Point Ferry, on the 29th of September last, a small red and white COW, marked with the letters H S on her horn. Whoever has lost the same, by applying to the subscriber, proving property and paying charges, may have her again.
October 24. ¶ JOHN MARSHALL.

To be SOLD by public vendue, on Friday, the 15th day of this instant November, on the plantation of William Hackney, in the township of Chester, county of Burlington, New-Jersey, near the lower ferry on Rancokas, 150

A FRAME DISTILLING-HOUSE, together with three copper stills, the one containing 100 gallons, used three seasons for distilling cyder, one containing 39 and an half gallons, has been in use about three months; one containing eight or nine gallons, together with the worms and tubs, to be sold together or apart, as may best suit the purchasers; a vessel, commonly called a Halifax, suitable for raftmen, and sundry other articles, to be sold for cash on delivery thereof. The vendue to begin at 2 o'clock on said day.

Wanted a dwelling-house in town on rent, with a parlour, kitchen, two or three rooms, and a cellar under it. Any person having such to lett, by leaving their name with the Printer hereof, will be waited on. Immaterial what part of the town, if not too far from market. ‡

CAME to the place of the subscriber, living at Gloucester-Point Ferry, in the township of Moyamensing, on the 14th of June, a black and white COW, with a white spot on her forehead, about 7 years old, has a black streak on one of her horns. The owner is desired to come, prove property, pay charges and take her away, otherwise she will be sold for her charges in two weeks from the date hereof.
Sept. 29. ¶. JOHN MARSHALL.

THE MEMBERS OF THE SOCIETY OF ENGLISHMEN AND SONS OF ENGLISHMEN, who have not paid their Arrears to the Time the Meetings of the said Society ceased, are requested to call on the Secretary, at his House, in Elm-street, near Vine-street, and discharge the same before the 15th Day of next Month, it being proposed, soon after that Time, to call a Meeting of such Members as shall have paid, in order to apply the Stock of the Society to such charitable Uses as by them may then be thought most proper.

By Order of the President and Vice-President,
GEORGE NELSON, Secretary.
Philadelphia, October 22, 1782.

Chester, October 28, 1782.

BY virtue of a writ of Venditioni Exponas to me directed, will be sold at public vendue, on the premises, on the 12th day of November next, a MESSUAGE, PLANTATION, TRACT or PARCEL of LAND, situate in East Caln township, Chester county, containing 225 acres, be the same more or less; bounded by lands of John Smith, James Jack, James Starrett and others; late the property of David Long, but seized and taken in execution, and to be sold by
¶ JOHN GARDNER, Sheriff.

Chester, October 28, 1782.

BY virtue of a writ of Venditioni Exponas to me directed, will be sold at public sale, on the premises, on the 13th of November next, a MESSUAGE, PLANTATION, PIECE or PARCEL of LAND, situate in East Marlborough township, containing about 16 acres, be the same more or less; bounded by land late of Silas Harry and others; late the property of James Nethery, but seized and taken in execution, and to be sold by
¶ JOHN GARDNER, Sheriff.

Chester, October 28, 1782.

WAS taken up and confined in the goal of Chester county, State of Pennsylvania, two Negroe Men, viz. PETER, a lusty stout fellow, about 5 feet 9 or 10 inches high. JACK, about 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, slender made, who say they belong to John Delpha, of Charlestown, South-Carolina, he being captured and sent to Philadelphia by the British, and on his return to Charlestown ran away from him near the borders of North-Carolina. Their master is desired to come, prove his property, pay charges, and take them away, otherwise they will be sold in three months from this date.
¶ JOHN GARDNER, Sheriff.

To be SOLD by the Subscriber,
A PLANTATION, situate in Aston township, Chester county, containing 110 acres of land, whereof four acres are made into watered meadow, and more may be made, about 20 acres of woodland, a tolerable good square log-house, and new stone room adjoining, an excellent well of water near the door, a barn, work-shop and out-houses, the whole under good fence, chiefly of chesnut rails; it is bounded on Chester creek, about three miles and a half from Chester, and the same distance from Marcus-Hook, with a priviledge of building a dam on said creek to build such water works as may suit, where, with a dam three feet and an half high, and a race of 26 perches long, there will be eight feet and an half head and fall. Any person inclining to purchase the same, may know the terms, by applying to RICHARD CREAN, jun. in Blockley township, near Ogden's bridge, or the subscriber, on the premises.
¶ NEHEMIAH DAVIS.

N. B. If said plantation is not sold before the 19th day of November next, it will that day be put up at public vendue, which will be at one o'clock. *October* 22, 1782.

TWENTY DOLLARS Reward.
WAS stolen out of the pasture of the subscriber, in Potter township, Cumberland county, on Saturday night, the 13th instant, Two valuable MARES, one is black, 5 years old, 15 hands high, a natural trotter, is lengthy and well made, part blooded, no brand mark, her off hind foot is white, and between her right eye and her nose is a bloody wart the breadth of a penny, and has some grey hairs in her flank, carries middling well, and walks fast; the other is a Bay, with grey hairs all over, has a bald face, is 6 years old, near 15 hands high, a natural pacer, has a long small neck, a long round body, of a lofty carriage, and great spirits, is short rump'd, a light mane and light switch tail, her hind feet partly white, branded on the near shoulder with the letter W. Whoever takes up said mares and thief, so that the thief be brought to justice, and the owner get his mares again, shall be entitled to the above reward, or for each mare EIGHT DOLLARS only, and reasonable charges, if brought home, paid by JAMES DECKEY. ¶ Oct. 18.

10th Month, 10, 1782.

WAS taken up (by a lad of the subscriber's) between George Gray's Ferry and Darby, about the 24th of last month, a brown HORSE, with a star in his forehead, a switch tail, about 15 hands high, a natural trotter, and about 7 years old; said horse appeared to be rode as long as he could go, much abused and turned out, and with difficulty kept alive. The owner may have him again, on proving his property and paying charges, by applying to JOHN HORNE, near Darby. ¶

To be SOLD by the Subscriber,
At his Dwelling-house and Manufactory, in South-alley, extending from Fifth-street to Sixth-street, between Market-street and Arch-street, on Hudson Square, the following Articles of Cloathing, raw Materials, and Utensils for Manufacturing, viz.

A VARIETY of Coatings suitable for the ensuing Season, Fustians, Jeans, Cotton, hackled Flax and Tow, sundry Looms, Reeds and Gears, a very curious Cotton Spinning Machine, and several Spinning-Wheels, a Pair of Wool-combers Combs of the best Kind, some Fustic and Logwood; and a good Horse, either to be sold or to hire.
tbe2m. SAMUEL WETHERILL.

JUNIPER BERRIES,

ew Hogsheads immediately imported from Germany, which are fresh and of a good Quality;
Also WEST-INDIA RUM in Hogsheads,
And SUGAR in Boxes and Tierces,
To be Sold by JOHN STEINMETZ,
in Market-street, near Fourth-street;
Who likewise has to LETT for a Term of Years,
MARY ANN FURNACE,
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Now selling at BELL's *Book-Store, in Third-street,* HALF A DOLLAR *each Volume, according to the London Edition, complete in Three Volumes,*

The new, elegant, entertaining, and wonderful

HISTORY of EMMA CORBETT,

In which the very great Vicissitudes of Human Life, and the Miseries of Civil War, are feelingly depicted; founded upon Incidents which occurred at and near Philadelphia, in the *Royal-Winter* of 1777, when the *British Gentry* imagined they had taken an eternal Lease of the great Congressional City.

At said Book-Store may also be had, every Curiosity that is *come-at-able* in the American World of Books. ¶

PHILIP BOEHM,

Has for SALE, at his STORE in Second-street, between Arch and Race-streets, next door to the late dwelling-house of Leonard Melcher, deceased,

WINE,
SPIRITS,
West-India RUM,
Philadelphia ditto,

SUGAR,
TEA,
COFFEE, &c. &c.

He flatters himself his former conduct in business has been such, that his friends will again favour him with their custom, which he shall endeavour to merit, by a careful attention to supply them with goods of a good quality, and on the most reasonable terms the times will admit. †

JUST IMPORTED, in the last Vessels from EUROPE, and TO BE SOLD, BY

WILLIAM MILLER,

At his STORE, in Front-street, the corner of Gray's Alley, between Chestnut and Walnut-streets,

A neat Assortment of Merchandize,

suitable for the season, which he will sell on the most reasonable terms; among which are,

A VARIETY of superfine, middling and low-priced broadcloths; cotton corderoys; red and white flannel; blankets; tickens; checks; laval, royal and sheeting linens; wide and narrow Britannias; Russia linens and diapers; a large and neat assortment of light and dark ground calicoes and chintzes; six quarters wide book muslin and humhums; a variety of best wide mantuas; rich black and white sattins; white sarsnet; cambricks and lawns; minionet and kenting lawns; check, kenting, lawn and gauze handkerchiefs; an elegant assortment of ostrich feathers; ribbands; gloves; womens cotton and mens silk hose; tapes; bobbins; threads; pins; knives and forks; pen-knives; fish-hooks; a variety of beads; necklaces; glass lanthorns, &c. &c.

Also, a few hogsheads of best Virginia TOBACCO. ¶

To be SOLD by the Subscriber,
In Harford Town, Maryland,

The following Lots and Improvements,

LOT No. 1, in the centre of the town, on which is an excellent brick dwelling-house, accommodated with every conveniency, a good kitchen, smoke-house, and well of water at the door, a large stable, hay-loft, and chair-house adjoining; likewise an excellent garden, abounding with useful roots and flowers. The house is large, and every way convenient, with cellars under the whole, and finished in the completest manner. It is needless to describe rooms, stories, &c. The purchaser, it is presumed, will examine particulars, and, no doubt, will be well satisfied.

LOT No. 2. contains two acres of meadow, adjoining the garden, inclosed with the best of fence, and at a moderate computation produces five tons of hay of the best quality, annually, one season with the other.

LOT No. 3, of 50 acres, convenient to the town, all good woodland, except about five acres of good meadow, and seven of pasture, both well inclosed. The situation and advantages of the whole needs no encomiums, they are plain to the slightest observation for merchandise or any public business. It is a completely fitted and noble stand, 25 miles from Baltimore town, on the post road to Philadelphia, and 12 miles from Susquehanna Lower-ferry, in the heart of a fine wheat country, and two fine merchant-mills, one of which is at the door.

The three lots will be sold together or separate, as may best suit the purchaser. For terms, which will be made easy, apply to the subscriber, on the premises.

As the subscriber intends moving to Philadelphia, the above lots or any of them will be exchanged for a house in that city, or other property near it. † 6 w. JOSEPH STILES.

JAMES ROBINS,

Teacher of the French Language,

BEGS leave to inform the Public, that he proposes, on TUESDAY, the 1st of October, to open again his SCHOOL for teaching the French language, three times every week, which will begin at 6 o'clock in the evening, at his house in Sixth-street, the second door from the north corner of Market-street. His name is over the door.

He intends to hire a suitable house, more in the center of the city, for the greater conveniency of his pupils, as soon as he can procure such a one.

He will continue to teach young Ladies and Gentlemen at the respective lodgings, and will give punctual attendance.

Philad. Sept. 25.

THE SUBSCRIBER purchases all kinds of merchantable clean TANNED LEATHER in the rough.

He likewise informs the public, that he carries on the

Currying Business,

And has for sale a quantity of excellent draw-boot legs, calf-skins, neats leather, saddle, harness and soal LEATHER.

Those gentlemen who please to favour him with their custom shall be as well served as in this city, and the favour be gratefully acknowledged by, their most humble servant,

William Perkins,

living in Fifth-street, three doors above Market-street. ¶ 3 m.

DRY GOODS,

Imported in the last vessels from Europe, and to be SOLD by

ISAAC HAZLEHURST,

In Second-street, about half-way between Arch and Race-streets consisting of

SUPERFINE and second Cloths of the most fashionable Colours; buff, white, blue and green Cassimers, broad and narrow Coatings, yellow and white Flannels, rose Blankets, Mens Worsted Hose, black Worsted Breeches Patterns, a Variety of Damask and Diaper Table Linen, brown and white Russia Sheetings, coarse and fine Linens, Bag Holland, Furniture Checks, Princess Stuffs, black and white Calimancoes, Shalloons, Durants, Poplins, Corduroys, brown and white Buckrams, Chintzes and Calicoes, India Furniture Chintz, Book Muslin, Sewing Silk, white and coloured Threads, Quality and Shoe Bindings, common, Milliners and Whitechapel Needles, heavy Four-pound Pins, Cambricks and Lawns, Velvet Hat-binding and Hatters round Looping, Scarf Twist, black and coloured Silk Handkerchiefs, black and pink Mantuas, black Peelong, Sattin, and a Variety of Mexicon Silks, Death-head Buttons, Setts of Diaper, containing thirteen Napkins and one Table-cloth in a Sett, Dowlass, Marseilles Quilting, Womens black Silk Mitts, a few Dozen of the best cast Steel Razors, Scotch Carpets of different Sizes, and an elegant Persian Carpet, four and half Yards by Five; Boxes of Tin, Horn Lanthorn Leaves, and Bohea Tea by the Chest; likewise Dutch White Lead, Naples Yellow, Omber, Yellow Oker, Vitriol, Prussian and Powder Blue, &c. &c. c4w

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Lately imported from France and Holland, and to be SOLD by

WILLIAM SITGREAVES,

At his STORE in Market-street, between Front and Second-streets, the corner of Lætitia-Court,

A large Assortment of DRY GOODS,

Among which are,

FINE and superfine Broadcloths,
Low priced ditto,
Swanskins and Flannels,
Plain and embossed Serges,
Coatings and Naps,
Blankets,----Carpeting,
Mens and Womens Worsted and Cotton Hose,
Camblets,----Calimancoes,
Durants,----black Russel,
Black Velvet,
Russia and Flemish Sheeting,
Irish, Laval & Holland Linens,
Britannias,
Dowlass,----Ravens Duck,
Oznabrigs,----Russia Drilling,
Striped Bed-tick,
7ths & yd. wide Cotton Check,
A Variety of Chintz & Calicoes
Check'd and Cotton Handkerchiefs,
Striped Ginghams,

Coloured Nankeens,
Dippers,
Russia Linen for Towelling,
Cambricks and Lawns,
Plain and figured Dimities,
Coloured Jeans,
Gauze and Catgut,
Minionet and flowered Lawns,
Striped & plain Jaconet Muslins,
Ell wide India Persians,
India & English black Taffeties,
Plain and changeable Mantuas,
Sattins and Modes,
Half-yard Persians,
Ribbands,
Silk Romall Handkerchiefs,
Polecat and Bandanoe ditto,
Barcelona ditto,
White and coloured Threads,
Ivory Combs,
Sewing Silk,----Tapes,
Pins, &c. &c. &c.

Also, A good FORTE-PIANO. c 10 w.

TO BE LETT,

A Front Parlour, Dining-Room, and a Room adjoining the Dining-Room,

all FURNISHED.

The situation beautiful, in Second-street, near the New Market. Enquire of the Printers.

Philadelphia, September 24, 1782.

Drugs and *Medicines.*

A NEAT and general Assortment just imported from Nantz and Amsterdam, and to be SOLD at the most reasonable Rates by the Subscriber, at BOERHAAVE'S HEAD, in Second-street, next Door to the City Tavern.

SHARP DELANY.

Jesuits Bark, of the first Quality, to be sold as above; and considerable Allowance will be made to such as buy a Cask or Serroon.

JUST IMPORTED,

And to be SOLD by

Andrew and *James Caldwell.*

TIN in boxes and casks, Window Glass 8 by 10, 9 by 11 and 11 by 12, Sheet and Pig Lead: A variety of printed Callicoes and Chintzes, fine Hollands, Royal and Laval Linens, white and brown Sheeting, Sewing Silks and Thread, Gold and Silver twist Buttons, Linen Handkerchiefs, Shalloons, Camblets, Bed-ticking, Silk Everlasting, black Sattin, and pink Mode, Cambricks, Corded Dimity, white and blue Plains, Blankets, white Flannell, &c. &c. &c.

A few Cases of CLARET and Sallad OIL.

September 24, 1782. ¶

SIX DOLLARS REWARD.

STRAYED or STOLEN, out of Zebulon Hollingsworth's stable, at the Head of Elk, last night, A dark bay MARE, about 14 hands high, 12 years old, a natural trotter, has a short switch tail, a small white spot just behind her weathers, and some white hairs in her mane. Whoever takes up and secures said mare, so that the subscriber may get her again, shall have the above reward, and reasonable charges, paid by

Head of Elk, August 31. † JOHN TAYLOR.

CAME to the plantation of the subscriber, living in Letterkenny township, in Cumberland County, on the 26th of April last, A dark bay MARE, branded on the near shoulder with the letter C, about 14 hands high, paces and trots. The owner is desired to come, prove his property, pay charges and take her away. † JOHN FERGUSON.

FOUND on the subscriber's marsh, on the North Branch of Timber Creek, A BOAT, that rows five oars, with a wide stern, and low forehead; she formerly had a swivel stock in her bow, but is now sawed off even with the gunwale; three short oars, and some old clothes, were found in the boat. The owner, on proving property and paying charges, may have her again, by applying to

West-Jersey, Oct. 14, 1782. ¶ AARON CHEW.

Chester, October 7, 1782.

WAS taken up and is now confined in Chester goal, a Negroe Man, who says his name is SAMPSON, about 24 years of age, 5 feet 8 or 9 inches high, says he belongs to Charles Frazer, of Queen's-town, on Chester river, in Maryland, Student in physic. His master (if he has any) is desired to come within five weeks from this date, prove his property, pay charges, and take him away, otherwise he will be sold for the same, ¶ JOHN GARDNER, Sheriff.

CAME to the subscriber's, living on Hugh Roberts's plantation, at Point-no-Point, on the 16th of September last, a stray COW, of a dark brown colour, big with calf. The owner is desired to come, prove property, pay charges, and take her away. ¶ MARTIN WYLAND.

A MIDDLE aged WOMAN, of a good character, that would undertake the care of a kitchen, where plain cooking only is to be done, with sufficient help of servants, will meet with good encouragement, by applying to the printers hereof, a good recommendation will be required.

TO BE SOLD.

A strong, healthy NEGROE MAN, about 22 or 23 years old, fit for any kind of work; would suit a farmer, as he understands horses, and can mow exceeding well. Enquire as above.

WILLIAM JACKSON,

Has for SALE, at his STORE the South-East corner of Walnut and Water-streets,

JAMAICA Spirits, by the hogshead, barrel or gallon.
West-India Rum,
Muscovado, Lump and Loaf Sugars,
Havanna, box, white and brown ditto.
Coffee in barrels and bags,
Imported Rock Salt,
Country ditto,

Pepper,
Indigo,
Copperas by the barrel or smaller quantity.
Bohea Tea,
Hyson Tea of the first quality, by the quarter chest, dozen or pound, &c.
All which he is determined to sell on the lowest terms.

He has likewise for SALE,

Or to Exchange for Houses in the City, or Merchandize,

A Valuable PLANTATION, in Providence township, Philadelphia county, 25 miles from Philadelphia, on the Schuylkill road, leading to Pottsgrove, Reading, &c. and about a quarter of a mile from the river, same distance from a Friends Meeting-house, three miles from a Presbyterian Meeting-house, and one mile distant from several mills, containing 200 acres, about 15 acres of good meadow, and part watered, from 55 to 60 acres woodland, the rest arable, level and no ways subject to wash with rains; the fields are finely situated to the sun, and produces good crops of hay and grain; the improvements are a large stone two story dwelling-house, well built and finished, three rooms and kitchen below stairs, and four rooms above stairs, with a large garret, another kitchen adjoining, with a large shop fronting the road, a large elegant new stone double barn, with a good new shingled roof, plaistered in the inside, with good dry mows, and stabling on each side and granaries, also a sheep-house and spring-house, a good pump and well of water before the door, a new waggon-house, a good kitchen garden and nursery, two large bearing orchards of about 650 apple trees, all young and some grafted, besides peach, pear, cherry and all other kinds of fruit; the situation remarkably healthy and pleasant, a good neighbourhood, and a fine stand for any public business. An indisputable title will be given, and possession of the premises the first of April next.

☞ If the plantation should not be sold before the first of January next, it will be rented, to commence the first of April. ¶

TO BE SOLD,

PURSUANT to the last Will and Testament of John Wright, late of the township of Moyamensing, in the county of Philadelphia, deceased, on WEDNESDAY, the 13th day of November next, precisely at five o'clock in the evening, at the Coffee-House, in Philadelphia aforesaid, for cash:

Seven hundred and four acres of LAND, or thereabouts, part of which is located on Juniata, as will appear by surveys in the Surveyor General's Office at Philadelphia aforesaid; which said 704 acres is an undivided part of 1250 acres of land, being an original purchase from William Penn, Esq; to Thomas Bourne, (Mercer) &c.

Also, at the time and place above mentioned, will be sold for cash, a right to locate 25 acres of Liberty Land, being appurtenate to the said purchase of 1250 acres aforesaid. The subscriber engages a good title to the purchaser.

Oct. 15, 1782 JOHN LEE, acting Executor.

A ROBBERY.

SIXTY DOLLARS Reward.

BROKE into the house of the subscriber, living in New-Providence township, Philadelphia county, on the night of the 9th instant, between the hours of 8 and 9, three men, one about 5 feet 9 inches high, swarthy complexion, dark brown hair tied, pock-marked; had on a dark brown cloth coat and breeches, with a flaped hat; the other about 5 feet 8 or 9 inches high, fair complexion, smooth face, short brown hair; had on a shirt over his other cloaths, loose white overalls, much too big, with a large cocked hat; the third, who stood at the door, was of a fair complexion, pale faced, short brown hair; had on an old fashioned claret coloured cloth coat much faded, and breeches of the same, broke behind, a large cocked hat, &c. all armed with pistols, one remarkable long in a belt hung over the shoulder. They stole the following sums of money and articles, viz. Twenty-three half Johannesses, one of the half Johannesses was marked with the letters Wm. A. on the face, done with a knife, four guineas, three English and one French, much clipped, 31 dollars and two-thirds in small change, two silver watches, one with a silver face (larger than common) maker's name Corderoy, London, a steel chain, with large oval links, brass key, and instead of a regulator a small steel pin or screw, in which is fixed the hair spring, and serves for a regulator, No. not known, and fastened to the chain with a brass wire; the other a small silver watch, with a china face, with sundry cracks in the face, old cases patched and soldered, which appears, a broad steel chain, with two seals green glass, one with three sides, the other a long seal, in form of a pyramid, maker's name and No. forgot; also the following Loan-Office certificates, viz. One for 300 dollars, No. 1644, dated January 26th, 1778, two for 200 dollars each, No. 2909 and 2910, dated April 2d, 1778, one for 1000 dollars, No. 4319, dated December 20th, 1779, one for 1000 dollars, No. 2232, dated February 1st, 1779, one for 500 dollars, No. 4334, dated April, 2d, 1781, one for 400 dollars, No. 4895, dated April 2d, 1781; also one sett bills of exchange on France for 18 dollars, dated April 2d, 1782, No. 354 also one new beaver hat, with blue silk lining, much sweated, one sword, ebony hilt (eagle head silver) double chain, and single guard soldered in two places, on the scabbard middle mounting the letter H somewhat defaced; one small fowling-piece, brass mounted, also a white glass seal, set in silver, impression a dove and olive branch; also a piece of blanketting, marked 15 yards with red chalk, and on one corner with the letters P. W. with brown cloth. Whoever will give information, so that the owner may recover all the above recited articles, shall receive the full reward, and in proportion for any part thereof.

October 11, 1782. ¶ PETER WITNER.

N. B. A sett of small silver vest coat buttons, and some clippings of gold were taken.

ON the evening of the 8th of September, information came to JOHN RANKIN, Esq; one of the Justices in and for York county, that there were several HORSE THIEVES harboured on Shelley's Island, in the river Susquehanna. Upon such information said Rankin, with a Constable, raised a strong guard, went on the island that night, surprised and took three of the aforesaid gentry in bed, carried them over to York county, and committed them to prison. They also got a valuable horse, supposed to be stolen; the horse seems blooded, a bright bay, better than 14 hands high, switch tail, natural trotter, a star and four white feet. Whoever comes to the said Rankin, and legally proves property, and enters into recognizance to prosecute the villains, on paying charges, may have him again.

October 1, 1782. ¶ JOHN RANKIN.